BULLPUP

MHS

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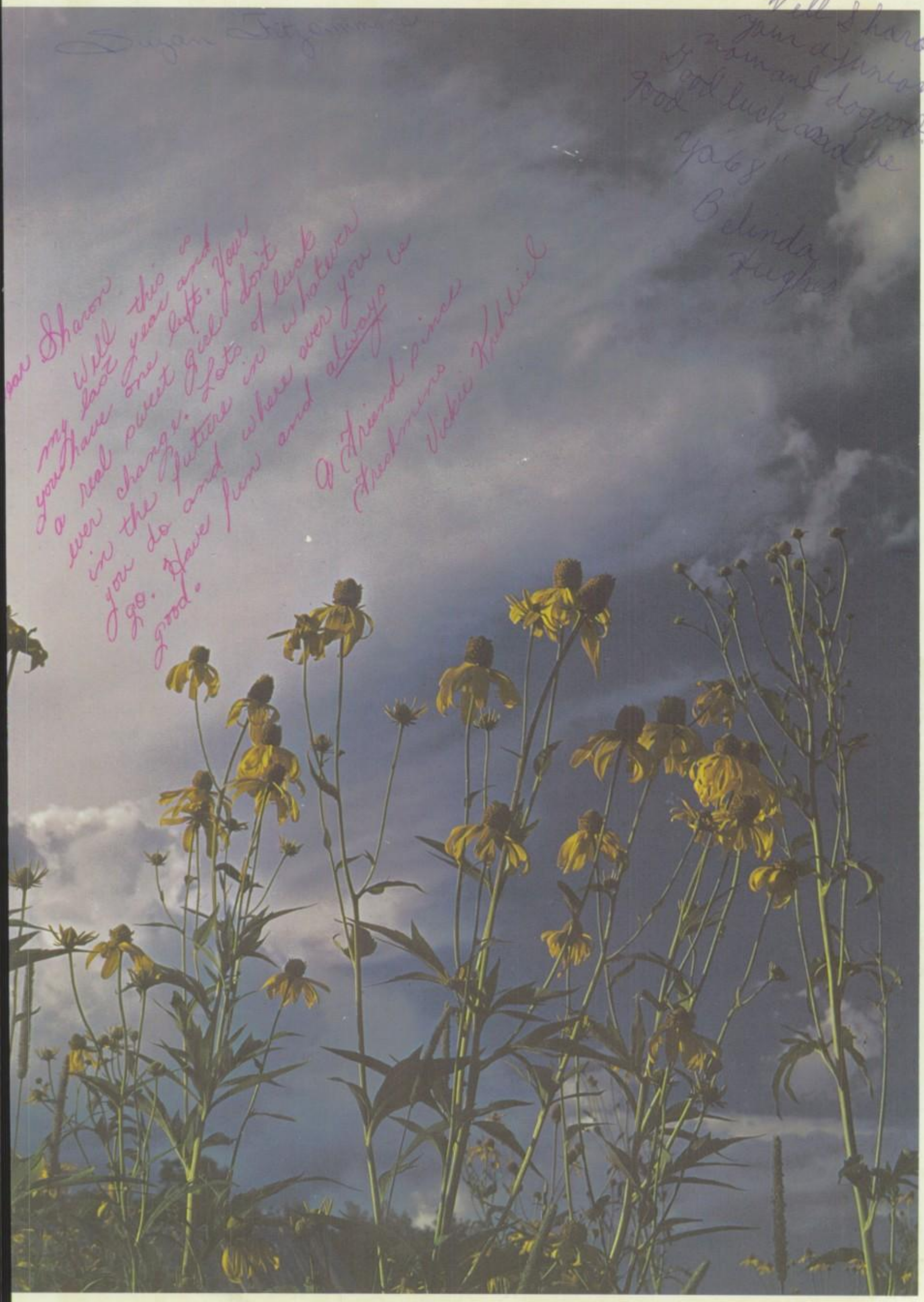
Dear Sharon
you are a
sweet girl, I have
enjoyed been in your
the same class with
you, friend
Joyce Theobat
Sharon,
We've been pretty good
friends for the last few years
and it was all to the good.
Have fun with all those
college boys. I guess I'll stay
with boys my age for a while.
Good luck in the years to come
because that is the only kind of
luck there is.
Your friend,
Norma
Stawalt
Sharon,
Good luck
you in the future
I hope you find
you like looking for
life. May God guide you
and be with you always.
Your Pal,
Venita
Your Bird Pal,
Mary Meats


Dear Sharon
Well this is
my last year and
you have one left. Your
a real sweet girl don't
ever change. Lots of luck
in the future in whatever
you do and where ever you be
go. Have fun and always
good.
A Friend since
Freshmen
Vickie Krehbiel
Well Sharon
your a junior
now and do good
Good luck and be
good
Ya 68"
Belinda
Hughes

THE 1966 BULLPUP

McPherson High School McPherson, Kansas

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Shaw,
It's really been
nice knowing you as
long as I have (stupid sick guy)
I hope your life is filled
with many blessings and lots
of happiness!

Your friend,
Elizabeth
Coleman

DISCOVERY 1966

The year has come!
We are a part of an active world!
Let us capture these important moments!

As members of this world, we have known:
The thrill of watching the race in space
The intense moments of world crisis
The struggle between powers in South East Asia
The mention of peace and the never-ending threat of total destruction
The excitement of imagining or participating in world travel
The change in fashion styles
The influence of foreign artists on all levels
The change of traditions
and
The importance of being young.

As members of this country, we have known:
A definite nationalistic spirit for our country
A keener insight into the functions of our government
The struggle between political parties
The policies used by a President from Texas
The influence of labor unions in deciding our nation's economy
Inflation or how to buy less with more money
and
The importance of being young.

As members of this community, we have known:
A quiet moment in Lake Side Park
The ever changing country side
The influence of four definite seasons
The duties of city and county governments
Main street on Sunday afternoon
Saturday nights with nothing to do
The controversy over fluoridation
and
The importance of being young.

As members of this school, we have known:
The homecoming, proms, balls, and banquets
The taste of victory and defeat
A struggle to acquire and attain knowledge
The impact of certain special people we call teachers
The responsibilities and advantages of friendships
The ability to feel ourselves grow in knowledge and wisdom with each passing day
and, of course,
The importance of being young and alive with spirit and understanding of which direction to take.

We are here on the threshold of life!

We are ready to take whatever may come!

Are you ready to be discovered, world?

FACULTY AND ADMINISTRATION

Mr. Goering and Mr. Brown confer with past MHS students.

ADMINISTRATION

administrators

MR. JOHN GOERING
Position: Principal
Years at MHS: 26
Interests: gardening, farming

MR. JOE RICH
Position: Director of Activities
Years at MHS: 29

Mr. John Goering

Mr. John Goering walks a precarious path in the different channels of the high school. Keeping his eye fixed on the goals of a well balanced high school program, he must hear and weigh honestly the ideas, problems, and complaints that originate from the students and the faculty.

In the academic program of the high school Mr. Goering must uphold the quality of excellence. He is sensitive to the needs of a growing and straining school, yet its pressures always leave him calmly collected.

Mr. Goering jots down a quick memo.

Mr. Joe Rich

Director of Activities, Mr. Joe Rich, brings a new perspective to McPherson High School for it was only a few years ago that he was a member of the faculty. He puts himself into the school and this effort will never be erased. By doing so, he has won the respect and admiration of the faculty as well as the students.

"Something you want?" asks Mr. Rich.

COUNSELORS, LIBRARIANS, & SECRETARIES

counselors

MR. ELVIN BROWN
Position: Guidance Counselor
Years at MHS: 4
Interests: hunting, photography

MRS. MARJORIE STUCKY
Position: Guidance Counselor
Years at MHS: 1
Interests: music appreciation

COUNSELORS: Mrs. Stucky, Mr. Brown.

LIBRARIANS: Miss Dowhower, Mrs. Beebe, Mrs. Vetter.

librarians

MRS. LOUISE BEEBE
Position: Head Librarian
Years at MHS: 1
Interests: bridge, bowling

MISS EDNA DOWHOWER
Position: Library Co-ordinator
Years at MHS: 9
Interests: fishing, reading

MRS. CHARLOTTE VETTER
Position: Assistant Librarian
Years at MHS: 1
Interests: reading

secretaries

MRS. BONNIE HOLLOWAY
Position: Secretary to Mr. Brown
Years at MHS: 3
Interests: water sports, boating

MRS. BILLIE MORSE
Position: Secretary
Years at MHS: 9
Interests: bowling, water skiing

MRS. ILLA RUTTER
Position: Secretary
Years at MHS: 6
Interests: bowling

SECRETARIES: Mrs. Morse, Mrs. Rutter, Mrs. Holloway.

ENGLISH & FOREIGN LANGUAGE

ENGLISH TEACHERS - SEATED: Mrs. Davidson, Mrs. McGhee, Mrs. Matson. STANDING: Mrs. Noyes, Mrs. Starks, Mrs. Edwards, Miss Nelson.

english teachers

MRS. BYRLEE DAVIDSON
Subject: English 3 & 4
Years at MHS: 1
Interests: golf, traveling, bridge

MRS. FRANCES EDWARDS
Subject: English 7 & 8, Business English
Typing I
Years at MHS: 2
Interests: reading, sewing

MRS. HELEN MATSON
Subject: English 7 & 8
Years at MHS: 20
Interests: traveling, reading

MRS. ANNE McGHEE
Subjects: English 3 & 4, Psychology, Speech
Years at MHS: 6
Interests: reading, bridge

MISS CLELLA NELSON
Subject: English 3 & 4
Years at MHS: 23
Interests: knitting, reading, canasta

MRS. FRANCES NOYES
Subjects: English 5 & 6, Journalism
Years at MHS: 15
Interests: reading, writing

MRS. MARGARET STARKS
Subject: English 5 & 6
Years at MHS: 20
Interests: reading, collecting books

foreign language teachers

MISS MARILYN ENGLE
Subjects: Spanish I, II
Years at MHS: 3
Interests: reading

MR. BURR MILLER
Subjects: German I, II, III
Years at MHS: 1
Interests: music, art

MRS. RUTH NIRIDER
Subjects: Latin II, World History
Years at MHS: 7
Interests: bowling, music

FOREIGN LANGUAGE TEACHERS - SEATED: Mrs. Nirider, Miss Engle. STANDING: Mr. Miller.

SCIENCE & MATHEMATICS

mathematics teachers

MR. CARL HARRIS
Subjects: Geometry, Algebra II, Senior Math
Years at MHS: 8
Interests: bridge

MR. HARRY HECKETHORN
Subjects: Geometry, Senior Math, Calculus
Years at MHS: 7
Interest: Ornathology

MATHEMATICS TEACHERS: Mr. Harris, Mr. Heckethorn.

Knowing that Mr. Heckethorn never got enough coffee during his break, two former McPherson High School students bought him this man-size cup.

SCIENCE TEACHERS - SEATED: Mr. Ediger, Mr. Zerger. STANDING: Mr. Unruh, Mr. Frazier.

science teachers

MR. CARL EDIGER
Subjects: Biology, Advanced Biology
Years at MHS: 3
Interests: camping, fishing

MR. JAY FRAZIER
Subject: Biology
Years at MHS: 9
Interests: golf, fishing

MR. ROY UNRUH
Subjects: Algebra I, Geometry, Physics
Years at MHS: 4
Interests: astronomy, sports

MR. PAUL ZERGER
Subjects: Physical Science, Chemistry
Years at MHS: 8
Interests: farming, football

BUSINESS EDUCATION & MANUAL ARTS

BUSINESS EDUCATION TEACHERS: Mr. Rickner, Mr. Spongberg.

business education teachers

MR. KEITH RICKNER
Subjects: Typing I, Bookkeeping
Years at MHS: 12
Interests: hunting, fishing

MR. CHARLES SPONGBERG
Subjects: Shorthand I, Typing II, Office Practice
Years at MHS: 6
Interests: hunting, fishing

Mr. Ramsdale demonstrates the proper technique to use around power machines.

manual arts teachers

MR. PAUL ANDERSON
Subjects: Woodworking I, II, Printing I, II
Years at MHS: 3
Interests: model building, fishing

MR. HENRY HAHN
Subjects: Mechanical Drawing I, II, Home Mechanics, Woodworking III
Years at MHS: 7
Interests: fishing, gardening, hunting

MR. LELAND LORENZEN
Subjects: Auto Mechanics I, II
Years at MHS: 2
Interest: camping

MR. RICHARD RAMSDALE
Subjects: Cooperative Agricultural Business, Vocational Agriculture II, Farm Shop II
Years at MHS: 12
Interests: none in particular

MR. DELBERT SCHRAG
Subjects: Vocational Agriculture I, Farm Shop I, II
Years at MHS: 1
Interests: none in particular

MANUAL ARTS TEACHERS: Mr. Hahn, Mr. Anderson, Mr. Schrag.

SOCIAL & DOMESTIC SCIENCE

domestic science teacher

MRS. CONSTANCE HILL
Subjects: Home Living, Home Economics II
Years at MHS: 24
Interests: gardening, collecting antiques

Mrs. Hill reads to her class about the preparation of meats.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE TEACHER: Mrs. Hill.

SOCIAL SCIENCE TEACHERS - SEATED: Mr. Brown, Mr. Stevens. STANDING: Mr. Randle, Mr. Moore.

social science teachers

MR. CLINTON BROWN
Subjects: American History, Constitution
Years at MHS: 4
Interests: golf, photography

MR. WILLARD MOORE
Subjects: Economics, Business Law, American History, Constitution
Years at MHS: 12
Interests: golf, painting, bowling

MR. JACK RANDLE
Subject: Constitution
Years at MHS: 28
Interests: traveling, ornathology

MR WILLIAM STEVENS
Subjects: Social Living, Physiology, Psychology, American History
Years at MHS: 2
Interests: hunting, fishing

Mr. Randle cracks a joke.

MUSIC & SPECIAL COURSES

MUSIC TEACHERS: Mrs. Kohler, Mr. Luty.

music teachers

MRS. MILDRED KOHLER
Subjects: Sophomore Glee Club, Mixed Chorus, Mixed Ensemble, Treble Clef, Senior Chorus
Years at MHS: 15
Interests: music, knitting

MR. BRYCE LUTY
Subjects: Band, Music Theory and Appreciation, Wind Ensemble
Years at MHS: 4
Interest: golf

Mr. VanAmburg helps out by supervising during semester examinations.

special teachers

MISS PATRICIA BAUMAN
Subject: Girls Physical Education
Years at MHS: 1
Interests: bowling, tennis, painting

MR. RICHARD FINTON
Subjects: Speech, Dramatics, Debate
Years at MHS: 2
Interests: stamp collecting, baseball

MRS. ELIZABETH LILJEGREN
Subjects: Jewelry, Art History, Pottery, Art I, II, III, IV
Years at MHS: 1
Interests: print making, horses

MR. FRED OFFICER
Subject: Trade and Industry
Years at MHS: 2
Interests: golf, hunting, fishing

MR. GERALD STEWART
Subject: Special Education
Years at MHS: 3
Interests: woodworking, golf, chess

MR. JACK VANAMBURG
Subjects: Boys Physical Education, Gymnastics
Years at MHS: 1
Interests: hunting, fishing

SPECIAL TEACHERS: Miss Bauman, Mrs. Liljegren, Mr. VanAmburg, Mr. Stewart, Mr. Finton, Mr. Officer.

CUSTODIANS & COOKS

Mr. Harold Johnston, maintenance superintendent of city schools.

custodians

MRS. COOPER
Years at MHS: 1

MR. HANSON
Years at MHS: 3

MRS. HILL
Years at MHS: 1

MR. HUDDLESTON
Years at MHS: 2

MR. JOHNSTON
Years at MHS: 22

MRS. JOHNSTON
Years at MHS: 2

MR. LARSON
Years at MHS: 3

MRS. NELSON
Years at MHS: 1

MR. SCHAFER
Years at MHS: 1

MR. SCOTT
Years at MHS: 2

CUSTODIANS: Mrs. Johnston, Mrs. Cooper, Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Nelson.

cooks

MRS. BEVER
Years at MHS: 1

MRS. BROCK
Years at MHS: 1

MRS. BRUNGARDT
Years at MHS: 3

MRS. FREY
Years at MHS: 2

MRS. HANSON
Years at MHS: 1

MRS. HULSEY
Years at MHS: 2

MRS. LARSON
Years at MHS: 2

MRS. PARSONS
Years at MHS: 3

MRS. PETERSON
Years at MHS: 1

MRS. STOWERS
Years at MHS: 3

MRS. TURNER
Years at MHS: 2

Mr. Johnston, superintendent to maintenance of all schools, has taught printing, coached, and been in charge of study hall during his years of service at MHS.

CUSTODIANS: Mr. Schafer, Mr. Huddleston, Mr. Scott, Mr. Larson, Mr. Hanson.

COOKS: Mrs. Hulsey, Mrs. Parsons, Mrs. Frey, Mrs. Stowers, Mrs. Turner, Mrs. Bever, Mrs. Hanson, Mrs. Brock, Mrs. Larson, Mrs. Peterson, Mrs. Brungardt, head cook.

FACULTY SNAPS

Mr. Zerger prepares a demonstration.

Ready for a day's studying is our principal Mr. John Goering.

"What do you mean 'are we going to have peanut butter again'?"

"Did you say 'smile'?"

"Did you see that?"

STUDENTS

Max Thye, president

Boyd Walker, vice president

Dee Ann Chinberg, secretary

Linda Jones, treasurer

SENIORS

prepare for graduation;
plan for the future

KENNETH ADAMS

ROBERT ALLEN

JUDY AMMERMAN

BRENDA ANDERSON

DENNIS ANDERSON

GENE ANDERSON

KENNETH ANDERSON

KENNETH ANTHEM

STEVE BAIR

MIKE BAIRD

BILL BALDWIN

KENNETH BECHTEL

BARBARA BECKER

LINDA BECKER

COLONEL BENGSTON

GAYLE BISHOP

FRED BIERE

CHARLES BOOZ

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SWEENEY'S SHOE STORE

NORMAN BOSWELL

ANITA BRUCE

JANET BRUCE

SAUNDRA SWICK BRUCE

EWALD BUNK

JANICE BURGETT

SUE BURTON

KAYRENE BUSTER

DALE CARTER

HAROLD CARTER

MARK CASEBEER

PAUL CHESTER

DEE ANN CHINBERG

JAMES CHRISTIANSEN

DAVID CULVER

CONNIE DEARING

LINDA DETWILER

PATTI DUNCAN

SUSAN EDGELL

"What do you mean, this isn't a musical?" Shirley asks.

SUE EMBERS

KEITH FASNACHT

NANCY FINNEY

MAX FLICKINGER

MARGERY FOX

JUDY FRANTZ

BETTY FRENCH

HELEN GALLOWAY

LINDA GAYER

MIKE GEORGE

KENNETH GEREN

KAREN GOERING

CHERYL GRANT

KENNETH GRAY

ALBERT GROKE

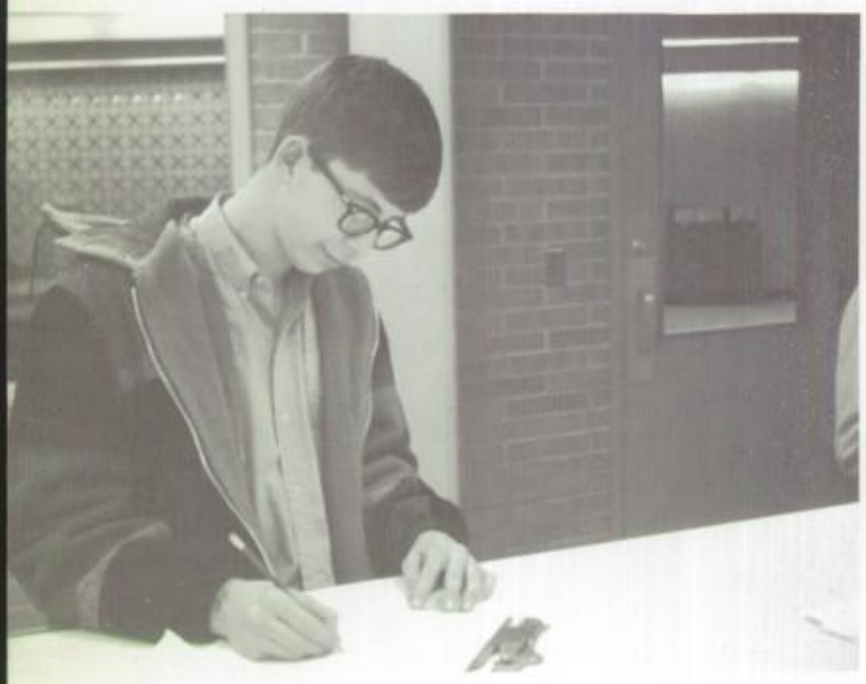
KAREN GUSTAFSON

KATHLEEN HALL

CHERYL HAMILTON

PAUL HAMILTON

JAMES HAND



"What do you mean, it doesn't take two hours to take my picture?"

TOM HAPNER

BONNIE HARRIS

CARROL HASSMAN

RICHARD HAZELTON

CATHY HECKARD

SHERRY HEIN

PAMELA HEMPEN

ALMA HERBERS

DANNY HIEBERT

PHIL HIGDON

ARNELLE HILGENFELD

ROBERT HILL

LYNETTE HOLLOWAY

TOM HULSEY

BARBARA JANSSEN

RONALD JARVIS

JENNIFER JOHNSON

SHIRLEY JOHNSON

STEVE JOHNSON

"Get him !"

ALBERT JONES

LINDA JONES

PETE KAUFMAN

JOHN KENNEDY

KAY KITTELL

CAMERON KNACKSTEDT

RONNIE KOEHN

DARRELL KRAMER

MARILEE KREHBIEL

LOUISE KROM

DAVID KUBIN

SUSAN LAFFERTY

DARWIN LARSON

KRISTINE LARSON

MERLE LAWLER

KATHY LAWRENZ

JUDY LEDELL

CONNIE LIETZ

Lunch, anyone?

DIANNE LOVETT

LENNETTE LUNDBERG

MIKE McGHEE

PATRICIA McKENNA

JANIS McVAY

ROBERT MARR

JERRY MARTENS

JOHN MAUK

PATSY MELLAND

KENNETH MEYERS

DEANNA MILLER

SYDNEY MILLER

RICHARD MOORE

LYNN NELSON

The dress code is rigidly enforced among band members.

BRENDA OLLEK

GENE OLSON

PHIL OLSON

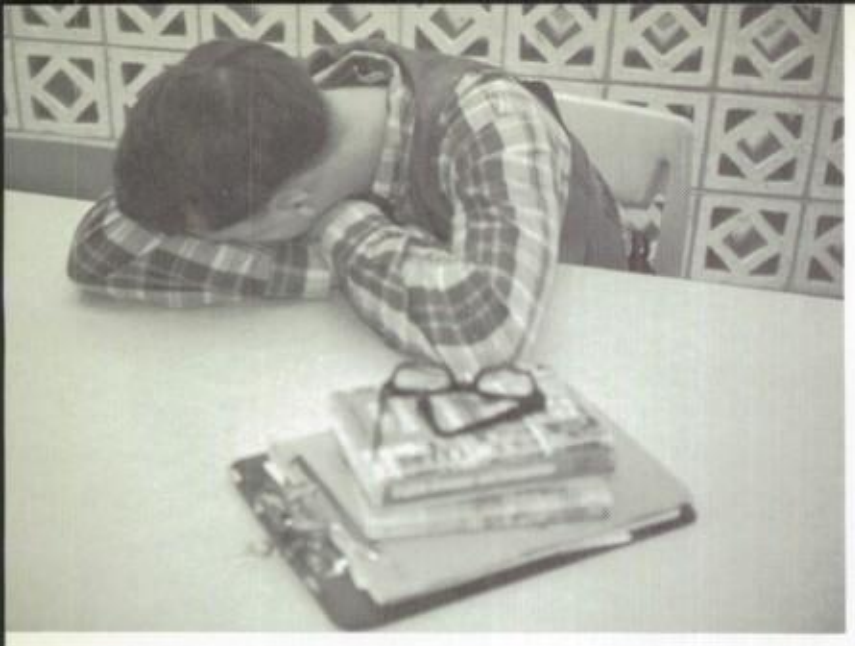
STEVE OPAT

STEVE PALMER

PEGGY PARKER

KERRY PEEL

JUDY PELTZMAN



Many study on their favorite subject in study hall???

JOLENE PETERSON

KARL PETERSON

MARSHA PETERSON

DON PIERCE

CHARLES POSTIER

RICHARD POTTER

GREG POWELL

GALE PREMER

PHILLIP RAMOS

JAMES RATZLAFF

SONJA RAUSCH

ROBERT READ

LARRY REISWIG

LOREN REISWIG

BRENDA MILLER RHEA

DOUG RINCKER

We always knew Carole could do something no one else could.

CAROLE RODGERS

RONALD ROE

DEBORAH ROSPROY

WILLIAM ROUBIDEAUX

TERRY RUPP

DANIEL SCHAFER

ROSE SCHOEN

PEGGY SCOTT

JUDY SERVISS

KEITH SEYMOUR

GRANT SKELLENGER

PATSY SKIPWORTH

SONJA SMITH

DAVID STAGG

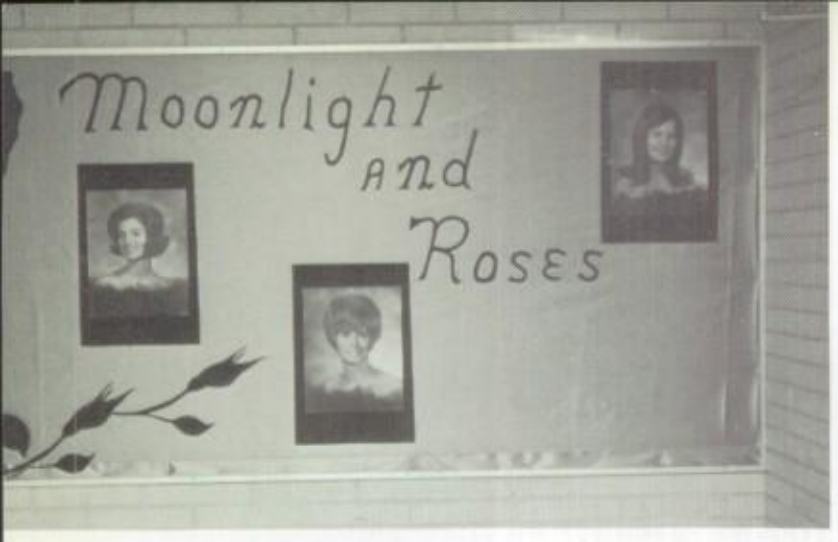
TOM STEWART

KAREN STIAWALT

STEVE STOCKHAM

TOM STOUT

"Why Me first? You're the ones who think it's poisoned!"



Senior glamor gals!

REJENE STOWE

GARY STROMBERG

KENNETH STROMQUIST

CYNTHIA STUART

JEANETTE STUCKY

TOBY STUCKY

TOM SUNDAHL

DENNIS SWICK

JERRY TAYLOR

KATHY TAYLOR

DIANA THOMI

SHIRLEY THOMPSON

MAX THYE

GAIL TINSLEY

TIMM TWADDLE

SHARON THOMAS

DEA UNRUH

DELORES VICENCIO

DOUGLAS VOLLMER

BOYD WALKER

DENNIS WALKER

MIKE WALKER

CAROL WALLINE

KENNETH WASH

DENNIS WEDEL

GRACE WHITE

KAREN WICKLER

MARY WIDIGER

JANET WIGGINS

CARL WILMOTH

TERI WILSON

GARY WITTENBERG

THELMA WOERZ

SUSAN WOOD

JUDIE WOODS

LONNIE YOWELL

OLETA RIPPER YOWELL

Not Shown:
MARY CAMPBELL
SALLY CHILSON
DALLAS EAVES
RICHARD GOSS
VANCE RICHARDS
JEANNE URBANEK

"M'LISS"-MY WESTERN MISS

senior play provides entertainment

finances senior gift

THE CAST (with its make-up removed)-SEATED: Patricia McKenna, Rejene Stowe, Marsha Peterson, Shirley Thompson, Susan Wood. STANDING Phil Olson, Phil Higdon, Don Pierce, Lynn Nelson, Ken Stromquist.

"I don't hafta if I don' wanna make friends with no city feller," exclaims M'Liss.

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ELDON'S IGA STORE

This was the entire audience--on the night of dress rehearsal, that is. As one can see, they were rolling in the aisles.

"$500! Are you kidding me or trying to show me a good time?"

"Don't you dare say that about my daddy or I'll scratch your eyes out!"

"Confidentially, I don't trust these funny-looking characters; they look shifty to me."

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Bummer Smith. . . . . .Ken Stromquist
M'Liss. . . . . Shirley Thompson
John Gray. . . . . Don Pierce
Carter Langdon. . . . . .Phil Olson
Clara Hunting. . . . . Susan Wood
Mrs. Moffits. . . . . .Marsha Peterson
Clytie Moffits. . . . . Rejene Stowe
Yuba Bill. . . . . Lynn Nelson
Bess Starlight. . . . . Patricia McKenna
Judge McSnaggley. . . . . .Phil Higdon

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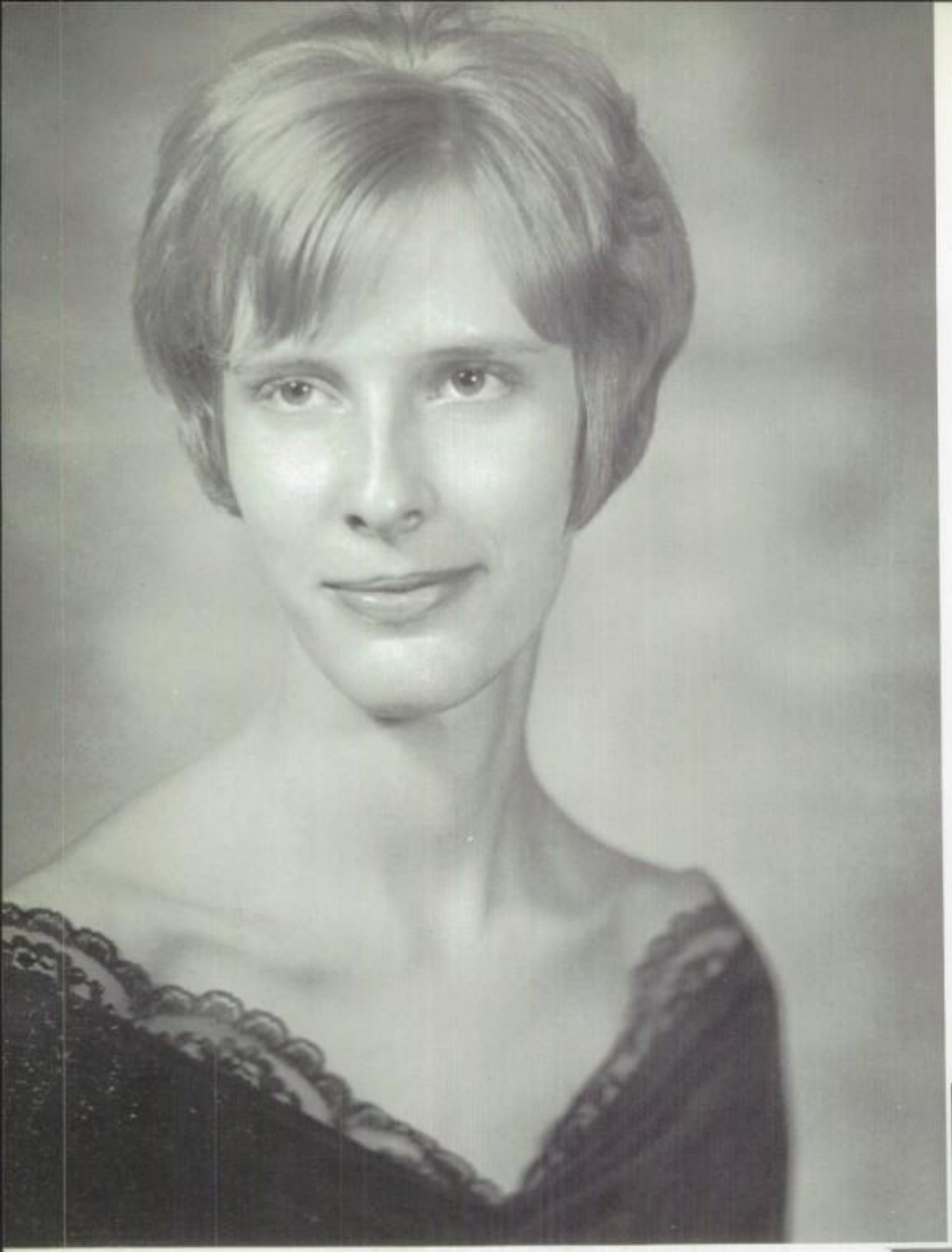
SCHOLARSHIP ROYALTY



Valedictorian: Karen Goering

Salutatorian: Arnelle Hilgenfeld

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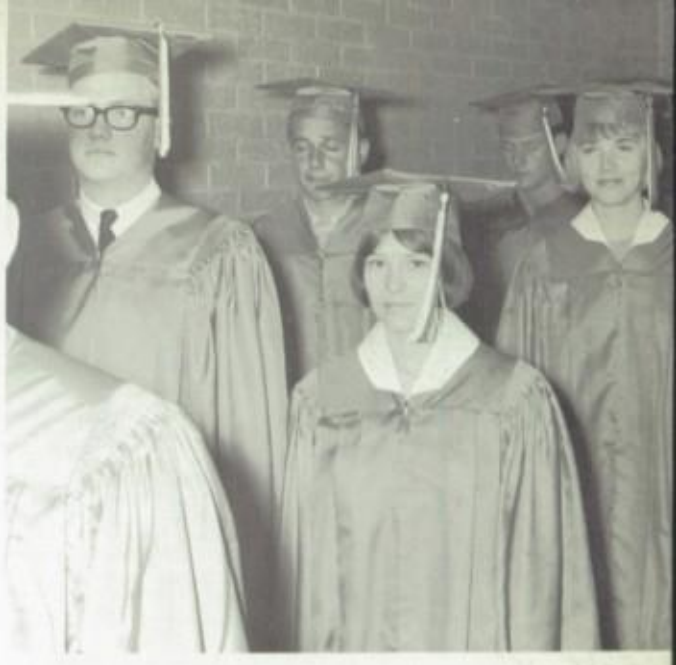
GRADUATION

begins with practices,

brings scholarships

Senior Week became real when members of the class donned the royal blue robes and mortar boards and began practice on processional and recessional marching, prior to the Senior Scholarship Awards Assembly.



Watch that mortar board, Phil.

Max Thye, class president, leads processional rehearsal - tum, ti, tum, tum - to begin senior week activities.

Mr. Luty directs "Pomp and Circumstance" as class finds places, and Booz admires his tennies (third from right).

Mr. Goering said "Relax", not "Collapse"!

. . . the class farewell, given by Karen Goering, class valedictorian.

. . . the class song, led by Shirley Thompson and accompanied by Carrol Hassman, seems to have some of the boys confused!

Karen Goering, class Val, accepts one of her two scholarships.

"Lake Forest, here I come," says Rejene Stowe.

"It's K.U. for me, thanks to the Miller scholarship," says Cynthia Stuart.

"Thank you K.U.," says John Mauk.

Louise Krom, winner of Home Demonstration.

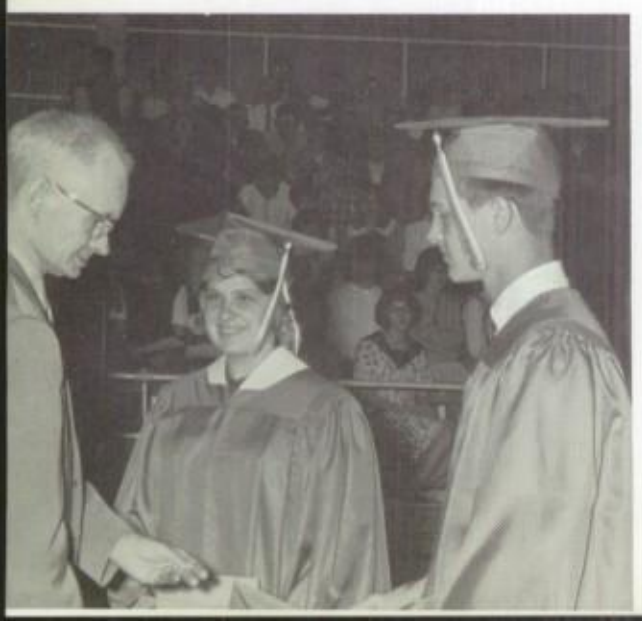
Alma Herbers, like Karen G., accepts one of her two nursing scholarships.

"Thank you," says Shirley Thompson, "for the College of the Pacific scholarship!"

"Ottawa U.!" smiles Susan Edgell.

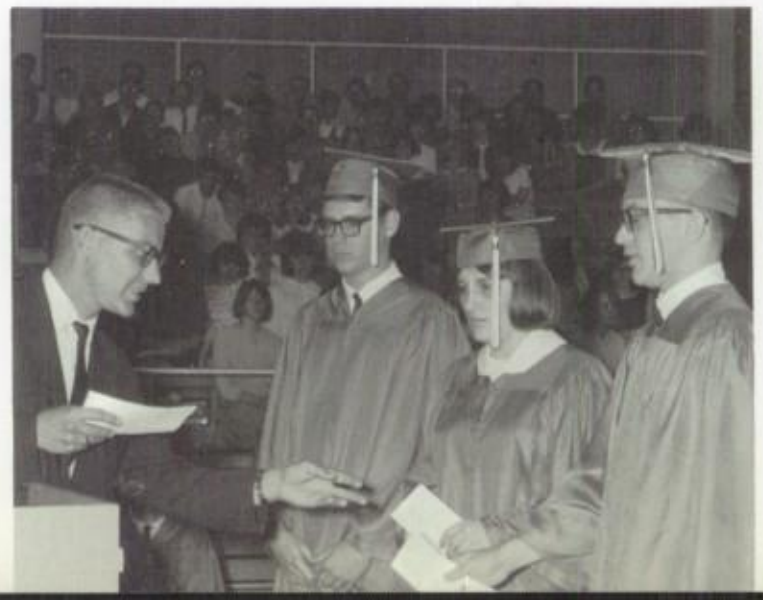
"Another K.U.-ite," says Phil Higdon, receiver of a debate scholarship on the Jayhawk campus.

Jolene Peterson and Gary Stromberg win coveted Am. Legion recognition.



These are but a few of the thirty seniors awarded scholarship at Senior Assembly.

Casebeer, Stucky and Hassman head for Wichita U. on music scholarships.



"Make mine nursing," says Alma Herbers, receiver of two scholarships.

"Emporia State for me!" beams Linda Detwiler.

"Sacred Heart, here I come," says Patsy Melland.

Diane Thomi accepts her Voice of Democracy trophy.

Mr. Paul Sargent awards the People's State Bank scholarship to Krom, Duncan, and Boyd Walker.

"I am for Central College," states Margery Fox.

Eleven are granted scholarships to McPherson College.

Steve Stockham, receiver of two scholarships, presents the senior gift--a music shell--to Principal John Goering.

Max Thye, class president, dismisses class of '66 for the last time.... "Please stand for the recessional."

Mr. Roy Unruh, pres. of City Teachers Assn., gives scholarships to future teachers, French and Lawler.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

stresses character service, scholarship, leadership

FRONT ROW: Arnelle Hilgenfeld, Cathy Heckard, Rejene Stowe, Jeanette Stucky, Cynthia Stuart, Lynette Holloway, Sonja Rausch, Sydney Miller, Susan Wood, Sue Embers, Shirley Thompson, Marsha Peterson, Karen Goering. BACK ROW: Kathy Taylor, Patsy Melland, Carrol Hassman, Steve Stockham, John Mauk, Mike McGhee, Mark Casebeer, David Stagg, Gary Stromberg, Phil Higdon, Susan Lafferty, Patricia McKenna.

SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

is title awarded thirty seniors

EPITAPH: '65-66

In the outside world, it was the year when "These Boots" walked all over the "Green Berets," and "Lightning" struck "Michelle." It was the year the Hell's Angels swept the country and the surfer's cross became the national emblem. It was the year the "Swim" went out and the "Monkey" came in. Skirts became shorter and boys' glances became longer. The Mommas and Poppas, Mitch Ryder and the Detroit Wheels, and Paul Revere and the Raiders were all in, and the Everly Brothers were out. But over all, Batman reigned supreme.

It was the year the U.S. laid a bomb in the Mediterranean and sent Gemini 6, 7, 8, and 9 into orbit. The Los Angeles Dodgers won the World Series, and the Braves hopped merrily from Milwaukee to Atlanta, and maybe back again. It was the year President Johnson marked his second anniversary in office, and Barry Goldwater marked his first full year back at the department store.

At MHS, it was the year the football Pups were picked "Team of the Week" and were never heard from again. It was also the year the basketball Pups surprised a lot of people by being heard from plenty during the entire season. It was the year when the senior boys did their homework with a map of Viet Nam somewhere in the room--just as a reminder of what happens to those who don't study. It was the year when the Junior-Senior Prom became a glorified engagement party. David Stagg stunned the world by making his announcement that he wasn't going to K-State after all.

It was the year "M'Liss" sang "The Sound of Music" by "The Babbling Brooks." The debaters won ten trophies, and the tennis squad hasn't stopped winning yet. Judy Peltzman, Sydney Miller, Patsy Melland, Linda Jones, and Louise Krom all played "Queen for a Day." It was the year the MHS student body finally got Mr. Finton down, and drove him back to Oklahoma. Skate-boarding was a passing fad, but beaver-shooting remained the main pastime. MHS moved to Kanopolis Senior Skip Day while the juniors slaved on Prom decorations in the gym. It was the year J.B's replaced the Men, and Mrs. Matson broke her own record by wasting a total of four minutes, two and two-tenths seconds of class time during the school year.

Yes, it was quite a year. The seniors are leaving, and a new crop of sophomores will soon be filing in to write new pages in MHS history. The Class of '66 is now history. We hope we've left a few pleasant memories.

by Phil Higdon

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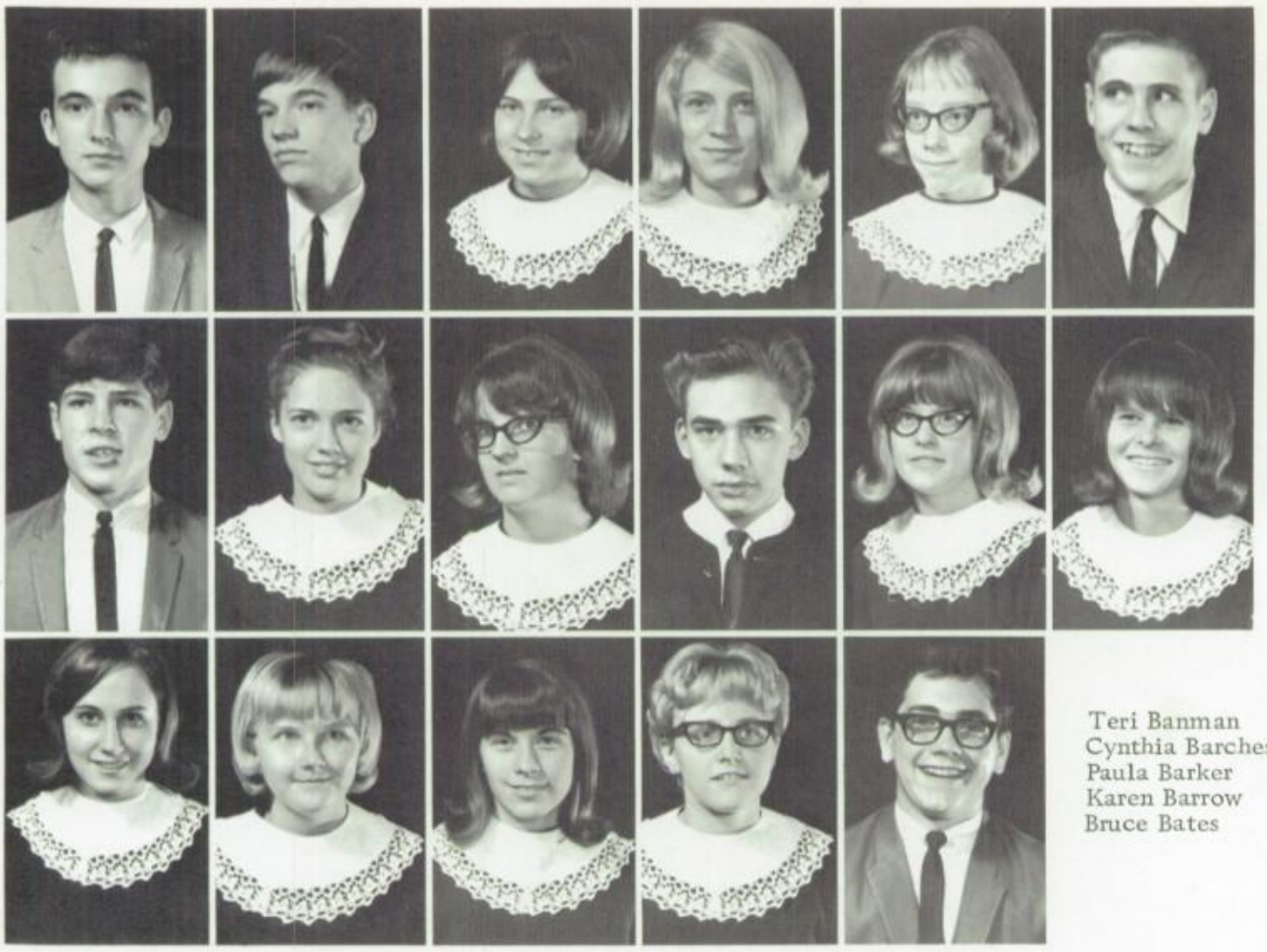
Dick Thompson, vice-president *Bob Griffith, president* *Dana Sammers, treasurer*

Vickie Kaiser, secretary

Class Officers



Gary Allmon
Eric Anderson
Kathy Anderson
Linnea Anderson
Sonja Andreas
Gary Applebee

George Ashcraft
Dea Anne Bacon
Melinda Badgett
Mike Badgett
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Linn Ball

Teri Banman
Cynthia Barchesky
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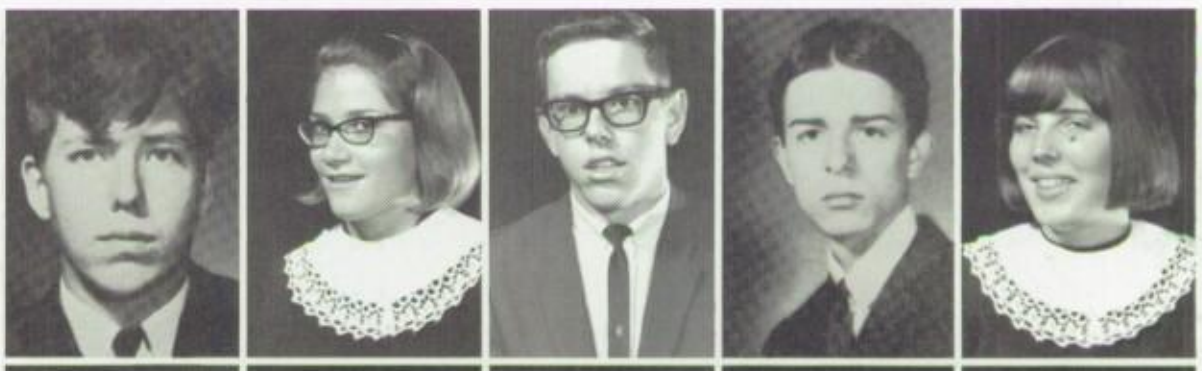
Karen Barrow
Bruce Bates

JUNIORS

take roll of upperclassmen



Don Beagel
Loretta Bergen
Kendall Betzen
George Billue
Gayle Boardman

Lane Bomberger
Linda Brack
Mark Brandsted
Barbara Brazier
Sondra Brewer

Allen Brown
Ronald Brown
Larry Bruce
Judy Bughman
Kenny Burk
Bonnie Burnette

Jim Burton
Cindy Bernd Buss
Bill Calvin
Dallas Calvin
Richard Case
Janet Chaney

Linda Chapman
Dianna Christensen
Cathy Colyn
John Conard
Rachel Conway
Sue Cook

Carolyn Cooke
Connie Cooper
Guy Gunningham
Richard Cunningham
Terry Culver
Phil D'Amico

Janet DeTour
LeMayne DeWild
Greg Dielman

JUNIORS

stage great prom, assume leadership

As the year began, juniors classified as upperclassmen, and assume responsibility in school activities. Speaking of leaders, class officers were: Bob Griffith, president; Dick Thompson, vice-president; Vickie Kaiser, secretary; Dana Sammers, treasurer.

Uniting together, the first major accomplishment of the year was the class play. Exciting was the arrival of class rings, but the big moment was the Junior-Senior banquet and prom, held for the first time in the Roundhouse of the school. Netting, glittering fish, and alluring mermaids lined the walls, dancing sea horses and sea shells decorated the tables, a mock whale, skillfully lighted, gave credence to the underwater theme of the evening.

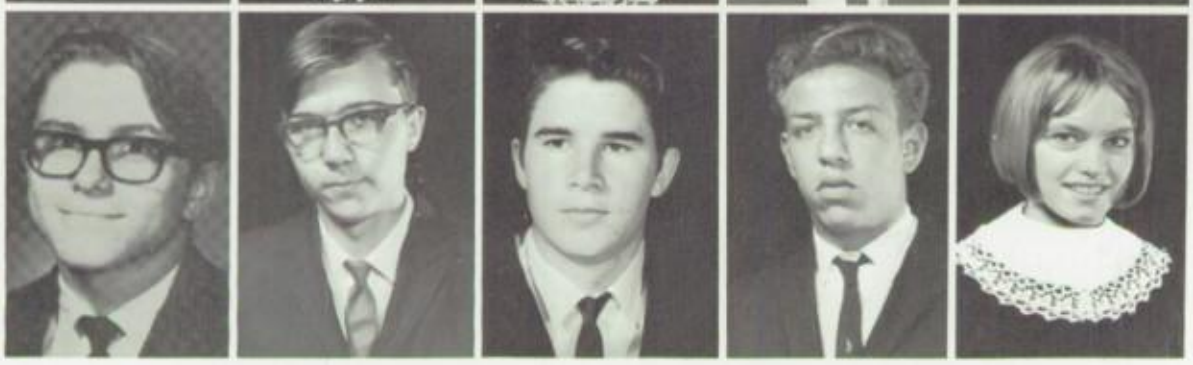
Dave Donham Barbara Eaton Cheryn Edgell Ed Ediger

Donna Everhart
Clara Ewell
Pete Flemming
Ronald Folck

Claudia Frantz
Shirley Frantz
Tommy French
John Frickey
Cecil Gage
Larry Gile

Robert Gillum
Gordon Goering
Jerry Grant
Robert Griffith
Yvonne Griffith
Steven Gustafson

Roberta Gutsch
Jonell Hall
Sheila Hall
Allan Hammeke
Kay Hanna
Marilyn Hanson



Larry Hapner
Robert Hawkinson
Terry Hedlund
Lavon Heitkotter
Susan Heitschmidt

What dress code?

Warren Hjerpe
Robert Hill
Judy Hill

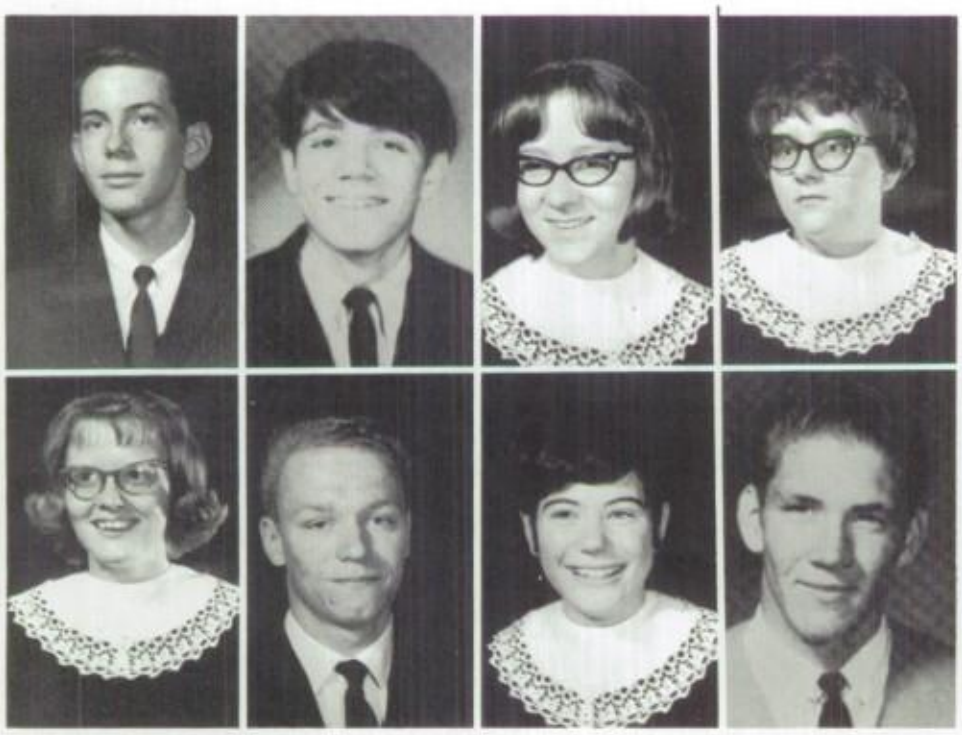
Cliff Hobson
Gary Holloway
Helen Hoover

Lynn Ann Hull
Robert Hulse
Lawrence Johnson
Leslye Johnson
Sandy Johnson
Sharyl Johnson

Jerry Justice
Steven Kail
Vickie Kaiser
Bonnie Kaufman
Patricia Kaufman
Larry Kavouras

James Keefer
Jerry Kerschner
Deborah Kirkpatrick
Trudy Koehn
Susan Krehbiel
Greg Kubin

Eddie Larson
Mark Larson
Robert Larson
Gene Lasater
Roger Lasater



Doug Leach
Larry Lingle
Judy Lloyd
Lu Lovell

Mary McCall
Tom McKean
Kathy McNally
Steve Martin

These halls sure
are crowded!

Patricia Maynard
Greg Millard
Kevin Miller
David Mills
Greg Mitchell
Clark Moore

Sharon Morris
Landvis Nelson
Max Nelson
Joan Newell
Leta Nichols
Patricia Nichols

Kay Ann O'Brian
Charles Orr

Patricia Parsons
Emac
Ronnie Paulseen
Steve Paulseen
Carol Peterson
Albert Phillips
Kristi Pierson

Robert Poulseen
John Pyle
Pamela Reinecker
Linda Renberger
Jerry Renchler
David Rhoads

Greg Rhoads
Mike Rohling
Janet Rowley
Phil Rutter
Emilia Rygas
Keith Saling

Dana Sammer
Larry Schafer
Bonnie Scharf
Cameron Schlehuber
Connie Schmidt
LaNora Schmidt

Becky Schrag
Marcia Sellberg
Kathie Shields
Richard Shumard
Marva Skinner
Don Sloup

Ron Sloup
Brock Slyter
Dennis Sorenson
Robert Sorenson
Randall Spann
Gary Spear

Indecision?!?

Christy Sprecher
Mike Stewart

Quentin Stockham
Peggy Stucky

Tommy Swanner
Fred Taylor
Marletta Taylor
Richard Thompson
Kent Thompson
Ralph Thompson

LaVerne Trindal
Scott VanNordstrand
Timothy Vernick
Jack Vetter
Larry Walline

Bruce Wickler
Delores Wiederhold
Diane Winter
Pearl Wong

"My ring's purtier than your ring!"

Linda Workman
Linda Wray

Linda Wytcherly
Virginia Yingst

Ellis Yoder
Engel Yoder
Jeannie Zerger
Carol Zimbleman

"BABBLING BROOKS"

jr. play draws large crowd greatly boosts class treasury

The cast and Mrs. Starks take time out for a formal pose.

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Nettie Brooks. . . . . Rachel Conway
Betty Brooks . . . . . Kathy McNally
Norma Brooks. . . . . Marcia Sellberg
Homer Brooks. . . . . Robert Paulseen
Granny Brooks. . . . . Deanna Miller
Val Weston. . . . . .Cameron Schlehuber
Madge Moore. . . . . Peggy Stucky
Don Stuart. . . . . .Larry Bruce
Kay Cornwell. . . . . Judy Lloyd
Carol Kingsley. . . . . Bonnie Harris
Julia Parker. . . . . .Helen Hoover
Bonnie Burns. . . . . .Linda Renburger
Bessie Horton. . . . . Cindy Barchesky
Director. . . . . Mrs. Margaret Starks

"Do you think these booties will be big enough?"

Harris and Stucky are at it again!

Off-stage helpers: Susan Krehbiel, Linnea Anderson, Kay O'Brien.

JUNIOR-SENIOR PROM

Palace of Oceanus serves as prom theme

The Junior-Senior Prom took its guests to underwater chambers for an enchanting evening.

For the first year the gymnasium was used for the highlight of the year. It was beautifully decorated with shells and figurines.

"Just whistle while you -gurgle-gurgle"

Would you believe?!

Smile you're on candid camera!

Prom Royalty?

Tea for Two?

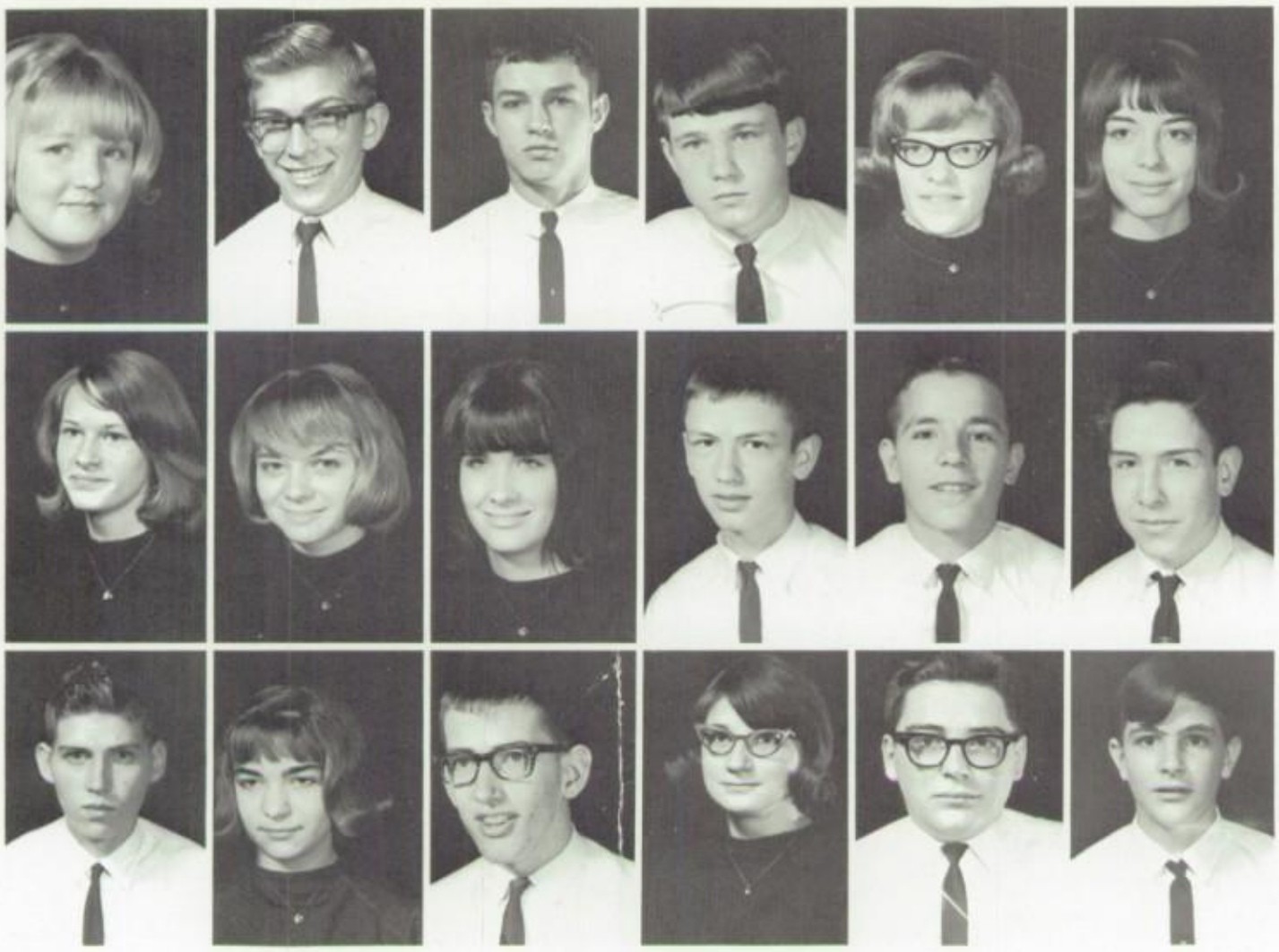
Rodney Peer, vice-president

Doug Chaney, treasurer

Cindy Whitlock, president

Karen McNally, secretary

Class Officers



Carol Abell
Mike Achilles
Jim Amann
Chuck Anderson
JaNeva Anderson
Teresa Andreas

Vanine Arnold
Donna Arthaud
Jean Bacon
Myron Barrow
Jerry Batson
Dale Beals

Eldon Becker
Mary Becker
Bion Beebee
Peggy Bergen
Steve Bergmier
Gary Bishop

SOPHOMORES

meet new and exciting challenges

Terry Bishop
Mike Borth
Don Boswell
Larry Boughfman
Jeff Bremyer

Charles Bruce
Denny Brunk
Susanne Bryant
Norman Burgess
Cathy Burke

James Camp
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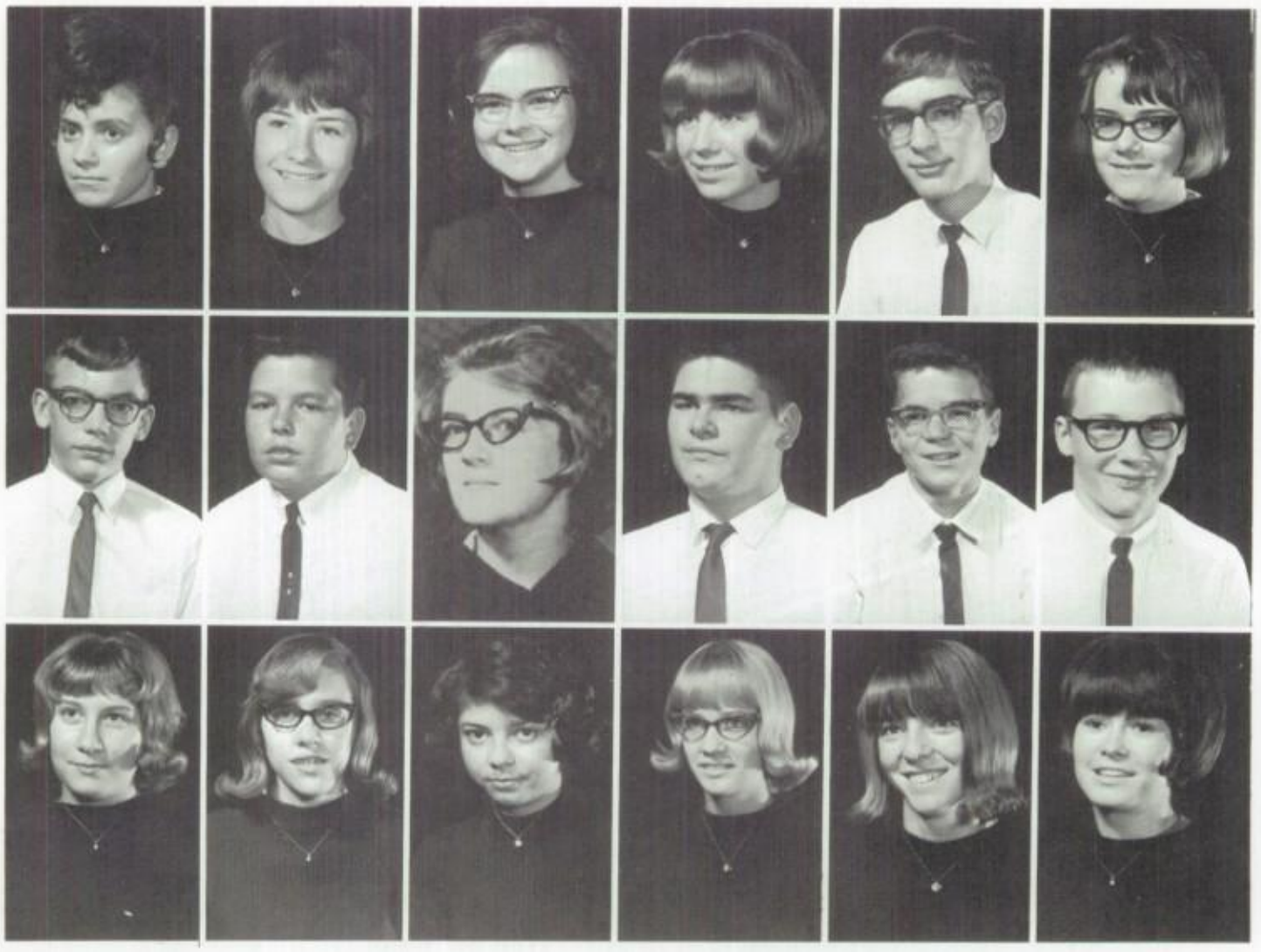
Jack Chisholm
Mike Christensen



Elizabeth Coleman
Carmela Colyn
Ruth Cones
Georgia Cook
Ronald Cook
Judy Coughenour

Ronnie Crown
John Crumps
Judy Daniels
Larry Davis
Kevin DeWild
Dean Duske

Janice Dyer
Sandra Edwards
Julia Emerson
Marlys Erickson
Susan Fitzsimmons
Karla Flemming

SOPHOMORES

enroll at MHS; enjoy school activities

Carol Folck
Cynthia Ford
Dave Fortune
Gerald French

Jerry French
Ed Fries
Gary Gardner
Nancy Gayer

Connie Gibson
Monte Giddings
Raymond Goad
Paula Graalman

This, the sophomores' first year at MHS, was a fun-filled life of a typical student. There was an uneasiness about coming at first, yet a feeling of anticipation. The first attempt to find the way from biology to literature was an experience to behold. As the year progressed, the class advanced in knowledge of school routine and subjects fundamentals.

Now that the first year is ended, sophomores look forward to the coming fall when they reach the status of upperclassmen.

Gary Grant
Jean Griffith
Margaret Groke
Lonnie Gustafson
Sharon Haefner
Carol Hamilton

Patty Hamilton
Colleen Hammeke
Joe Hanes
Virginia Hazelton
James Heckard
Mark Heidebrecht

Marsha Hopkins
Dennis Houghton
James Huber
Belinda Hughes
Roger Inloes
Allan Jackson

Debbie Janssen
Karen Jantz
Pamela Jantz
Christine Johnson
Debbie Johnson
Dennis Johnson

Marvin Johnson
Venita Johnson
Pat Jones
Gerald Junke
Stanley Keck
Linda Keim

Dennis Kelly
Terri Kerschner
Jeanie Korte
Robert Krause
Patty Krehbiel
Paul Krehbiel

Vickie Krehbiel
Gene Kubin
Vickie Lane
David Larson
Lowell Larson
James Lattin

Marilyn Lawrenz
Dale Leach
Steven Ledell
Rick Lindbeck
Carol Loganbill
Eddie Lohf

Suzanne Lovett
Margaret McCaughtry
Karen McNally
Morris McVicker
Sherry Mantz
Laura Marcellus

Sheridan Martin
Margie Mathes
Jerry Maxwell
Marva Meats
Kenny Metz

Larry Miller
Warren Miller
Mike Milleson
Janet Mills
Connie Minear

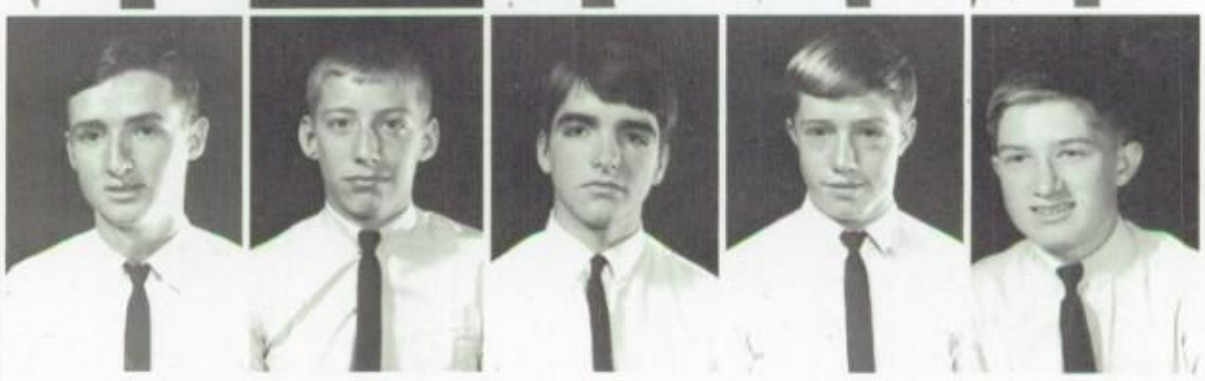
Ruthann Morris
Bernita Morris
Wayne Morris
Bill Morrow
Wendy Myers
Linda Neel

Linda Neufeldt
Donna Nickel
Steve Nordstrom
Dick Oberly
David O'Dell
Michael Opat

Pamela Palmer
Gary Parker
Ernest Pease, Jr.
Rodney Peer
Sandra Peppiatt
Janie Perrin

Keith Peterson
Norman Peterson
Ruby Peterson
Victor Peterson
Jerry Pottroff
Mark Powell

Mike Prigmore
Bill Pyle
John Ratzlaff
Bob Rausch
Craig Rausch



Richard Rhea
Mark Rhoads
Patience Riddell
Willyne Rincker
Mike Robidou

Janet Roe
Larry Rogers
Wayne Rogers
Janet Rolander
Linda Schmidt

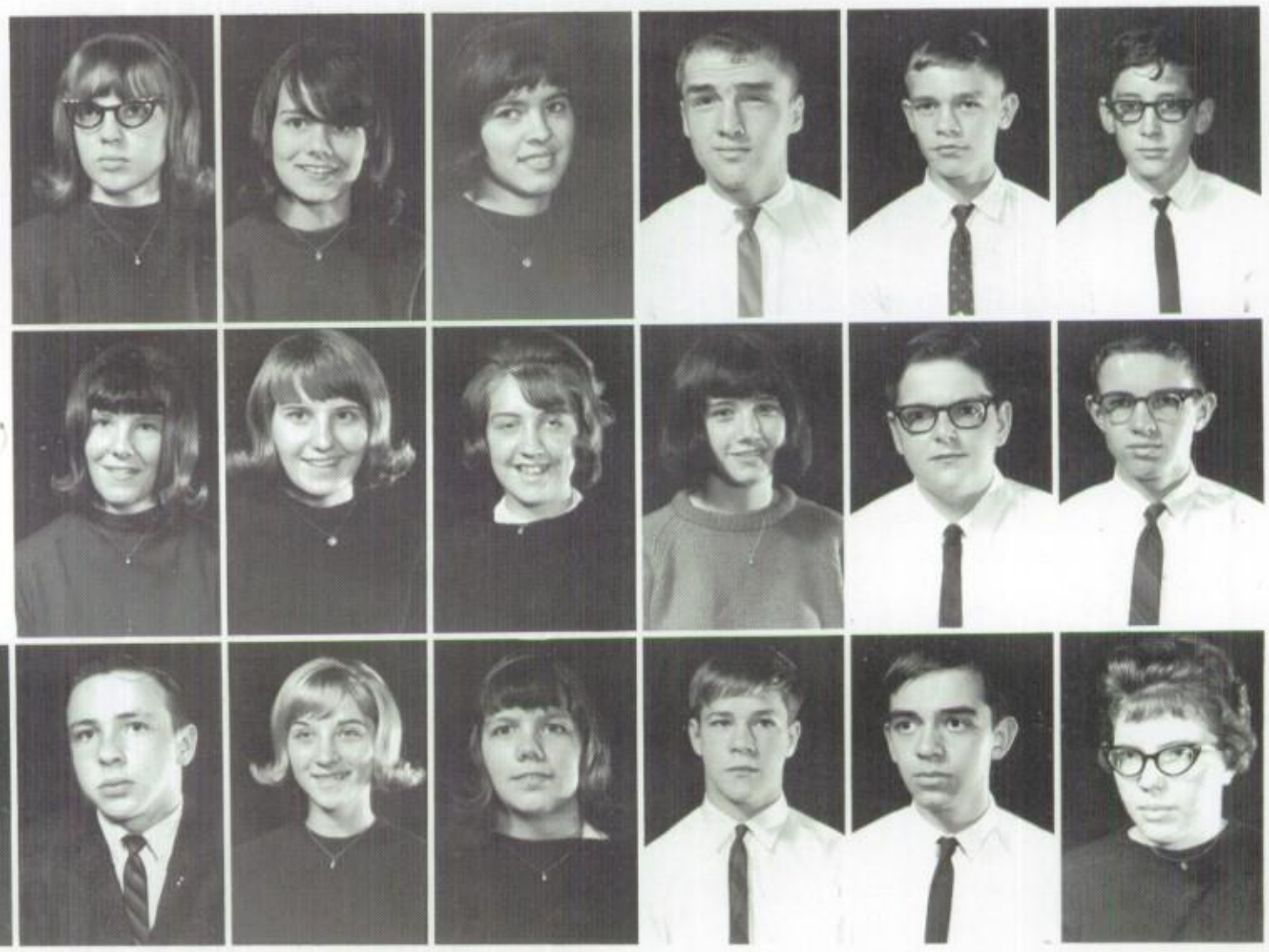
Cindy Schrag
Joe Scoby
Paula Seidel
Joyce Shearhart
Chas. Skellenger
Larry Smith

Jay Sollenberger
Don Sorenson
Shirley Stewart
Norma Stiawalt
Floyd Stillings
Marcia Storm

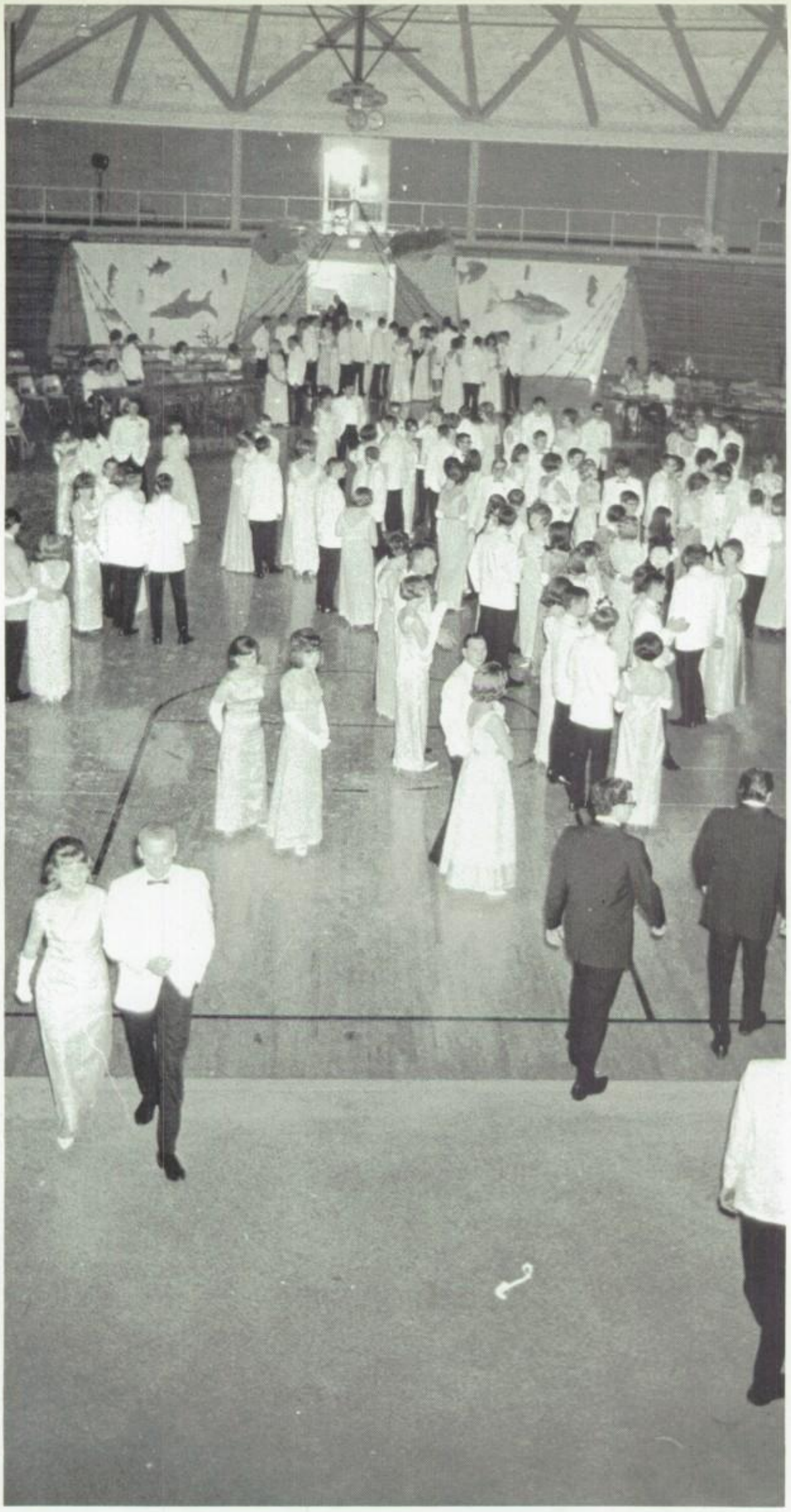
Mary Stover
Randall Strouse
John Suenram
Darryl Swick
Dinah Swinehart
Paul Tennison

Beverly Thompson
Christine Thompson
Gayle Thompson
Monte Tipton
Danny Vance
Larry Venable

Susie Wachtman
Rhonda Waits
Connie Walker
Cindy Weaver
Jack Wells
Tim Werly



Janie West Jeff White Cindy Whitlock Delores Widiger Howard Wiebe Larry Woods Susan Yoder



ORGANIZATIONS AND ACTIVITIES

STU-CO

directs assemblies,

presents queens

The goals of Student Council are to bring the various student organizations under control, to make student opinion known to the administration, and promote cooperation between the student body and the faculty. During the past year, Stu-Co has strived towards these ends.

Besides acting as an intermediary between the students and the faculty, Stu-Co has directed many informative assemblies and has conducted the crowning of the football and basketball queens.

CABINET-SEATED: Patricia McKenna, vice president; Steve Stockham, treasurer; Patsy Melland, secretary. STANDING: Mr. Rich, sponsor; Phil Higdon, president; Mr. Zerger, sponsor.

Phil, we always knew you were the tidy type, but polishing the letters?

They did--vote for Bob, that is--for 1966-67 Stu-Co president; Dick Thompson will be his able assistant as vice president.

BOTTOM ROW: Jonell Hall, De Ann Chinberg, Lynette Holloway, Patsy Melland, Patricia McKenna, Dea Unruh, Kathy McNally, Judy Peltzman. SECOND ROW: Dale Leach, Boyd Walker, John Mauk, Teri Banman, Virginia Yingst, Cathy Colyn, Carol Zimbelman, Bonnie Harris, Vickie Kaiser, Janet Mills, Vicki Lane. TOP ROW: Phil Higdon, Steve Stockham, Lonnie Gustafson, Wayne Kerschner, Dean Duske, Roger Inloes, Bob Griffith.

HI-Y

performs many functions, attends mock legislature

A busy year greeted the Hi-Y boys in September. Projects extended through the entire year and included the decoration of the school Christmas tree, consolidation with the Kayettes on the Charity Ball, and the sale of popcorn at home basketball games. The Thanksgiving assembly was also held under direction of the Hi-Y members.

One of the focal points of activity was the mock legislature, held at Topeka on March 31. Representing McPherson were Dana Sammer, Bob Hill, and Mark Brandsted, accompanied by Clinton Brown and Harry Heckethorn.

CABINET-BOTTOM ROW: Jack Vetter, president; Mike McGhee, vice president; Dana Sammer, secretary. TOP ROW: Mr. Heckethorn, sponsor; Bob Hill, treasurer; Cameron Knackstedt, song leader-chaplin; Mr. Harris, sponsor.

BOTTOM ROW: Bill Pyle, Lane Bomberger, Bruce Bates, Jim Burton, Dennis Sorenson. SECOND ROW: Landvis Nelson, Toby Stucky, Mark Brandsted, Larry Boughfman, Dick Oberly. TOP ROW: Jim Hand, Dale Leach, Dean Duske, Ron Sloup, Paul Krehbiel, Mark Rhoads, David O'Dell.

BOTTON ROW: Phil Rutter, Kendall Betzen, Bob Hill, Jack Vetter, Jerry Renchler, Robert Paulseen. SECOND ROW: Bob Sorenson, Larry Bruce, Dana Sammer, Larry Kavoras, Mark Brandsted, Richard Hazelton. TOP ROW: Danny Schafer, Mike Achilles, Dick Thompson, Bion Beebe, Cameron Knackstedt, Mike McGee.

KAYETTES

lead a busy year

performed many tasks

The Kayette organization has been one of the busiest and most useful groups in McPherson High School during the past year. To increase their funds, the Kayettes held several money-making projects and ventures. The most important was the Kayette Karnival. Held in February, it was a big hit with old and young as well. The Kayettes are divided into teams, and for this event each team designed a booth and charged a small fee to anyone who wanted to get in on the fun and games.

Consolidating with the Hi-Y, they collected food and clothing for a needy family and presented their major social event, the Charity Ball.

Sending aid to George, the adopted Greek boy, was again an outside project of the organization. The sale of beautifully decorated UNICEF Christmas cards, trimming the school Christmas tree, and decoration of all the individual classroom doors were special holiday projects.

To complete the year's list of activities, the Father-Daughter Banquet was given, and needy children were taken to the May Day festivities.

Susan Wood demonstrates her great skill at running the penny toss at the Kayette Karnival.

Somebody's missing! Could it be the king Toby Stucky? Shown here are Queen Patsy Melland and the other candidates.

CABINET-BOTTOM ROW: Lynette Holloway, secretary; Sydney Miller, president; Mrs. Kohler, sponsor; Mrs. McGhee, sponsor; Mrs. Edwards, sponsor; Susan Lafferty, vice president; Patsy Melland, treasurer. TOP ROW: Cathy Heckard, Linda Gayer, Susan Edgell, Oleta Ripper Yowell, Karen Goering, Judy Lloyd, Cathy Colyn, Carol Zimbelman, Barbara Brazier, Janet Bruce, Marsha Peterson, Jeanette Stucky.

BOTTOM ROW: Dea Unruh, Patricia McKenna, Patsy Melland, Sue Embers, Kay Kittell, Janice Burgett, Linda Renberger. SECOND ROW: Donna Arthaud, Colleen Hammeke, Janet Wiggins, Ruthann Moore, Jolene Peterson, Kathie Shields, Terry Rupp, Cathy Burke. TOP ROW: Diane Lovett, Linda Gayer, Louise Krom, Georgia Cook, Christine Thompson, Karen Goering, Shirley Frantz, Deanna Miller, Susanne Bryant.

BOTTOM ROW: Alma Herbers, Kathy Taylor, Sandy Edwards, Ruby Peterson, Margery Fox, Arnelle Hilgenfeld. SECOND ROW: Peggy Stucky, Rejene Stowe, Teri Banman, Jennifer Johnson, Susan Wood, Sherry Hein, Shirley Johnson, Cathy Heckard. TOP ROW: Dianna Christensen, Becky Schrag, Marcia Sellberg, Connie Cooper, Claudia Frantz, Melinda Badgett, Bonnie Harris, Judy Peltzman, Susan Edgell, Connie Dearing.

At the Kayette Karnival, Janet Wiggins hopefully awaits a fellow inmate.

TEAM CAPTAINS - BOTTOM ROW: Teri Wilson, Helen Hoover, Kay Kittell, Teri Banman, Terri Kerschner, Lennette Lundberg, Kathy Taylor. TOP ROW: Cynthia Ford, Diane Winter, Judy Hill, Norma Stiawalt, Donna Nickel, Susan Wood, Betty French.

BOTTOM ROW: Virginia Yingst, Vickie Kaiser, Barb Brazier, Karen Jantz, Cindy Barchesky, Linda Schmidt. SECOND ROW: Cynthia Ford, Janet Rolander, Karla Fleming, Cathy Colyn, Donna Nickel, Terri Kerschner, Carol Loganbill, Willyne Rincker.. TOP ROW: Norma Stiawalt, Sandy Johnson,. Marva Meats, Sharon Haefner, Laura Marcellus, Suzie Wachtman, Sherry Mantz, Wendy Myers, Connie Gibson.

BOTTOM ROW: Carole Rodgers, Judy Frantz, Lennette Lundberg, Lynette Holloway, LaNora Schmidt, Mary Becker, Carol Zimbelman, Susan Krehbiel. SECOND ROW: Janet Detour, Diana Thomi, Helen Hoover, Patricia Nichols, Judy Lloyd, Diane Winter, Teresa Andreas. TOP ROW: Betty French, Barbara Eaton, Marsha Hopkins, Belinda Hughes, Venita Johnson, Nancy Gayer, Gayle Thompson, Christine Johnson, Marlys Erickson.

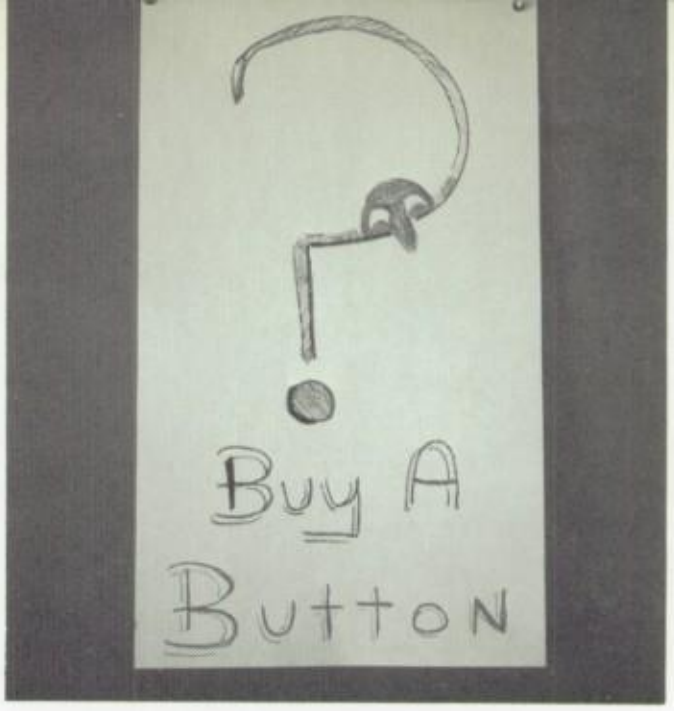
BOTTOM ROW: Sue Burton, Bonnie Burnette, Oleta Ripper Yowell, Sydney Miller, Jeanette Stucky, Janet Bruce, Margie Mathes, Judy Coughenour, Susan Lafferty. SECOND ROW: Marilyn Hanson, Marsha Peterson, Jonell Hall, Leslye Johnson, Kay Hanna, Dinah Swinehart, Carol Folck, Rhonda Waits, Patty Krehbiel, Vicki Lane, Paula Graalman. TOP ROW: Connie Schmidt, Dolores Wiederhold, Judy Hill, Mardell Bahr, Kristi Pierson, Pam Reinecker, Patty Riddell, Janie Perrin, Mary Stover, Shirley Stewart, Karen McNally, Cindy Weaver.

T & I

students learn and earn, rate in state

The Trade and Industry Club, two years old, promoted interest in vocational training with their maroon blazers, the booster button campaign, their showing in state competition, and the banquet for employers. Jim Ratzlaff and Jerry Taylor placed first in state competition.

All ready for "the bosses", under whom T & I students earned $11,000 this year, while learning.



T & I's big project, the booster button sale, encouraged school spirit and provided for their new blazers.

John Lacy, speaker, attends the T & I banquet with Ewald Bunk and Mr. Officer.

BOTTOM ROW: Jim Ratzlaff, Ewald Bunk, president; Pam Hempen, social chairman; Helen Gallaway, Margery Fox, Steve Bair, Jerry Taylor, secretary. TOP ROW: Tom Hulsey, Lucky Bengston, Ron Jarvis, Paul Chester, vice president; Phillip Ramos, treasurer; Richard Moore, Mr. Officer, sponsor; Keith Fasnacht.

PEP CLUB

initiate several projects, creates new position

Under a new set of rules, the Pep Club has strengthened the participation of its members. Although rather small in force compared to the past year's membership, this year's Pep Club initiated several new and different projects for student participation. These included the "Derail the Railroaders" contest and the poster contest.

The "White M", which outlined the Pep Club section at all the home games, was again made up of senior girls having highest number of points.

A new honor for two girls from each class was added this year: that of Pep Club hostess. Senior hostesses were Susan Lafferty and Arnelle Hilgenfeld.

Patricia McKenna and Dea Unruh are shown putting up one of the prize winning posters for Pep Club's operation to generate enthusiasm.

CABINET-BOTTOM ROW: Rejene Stowe, president. SECOND ROW: Virginia Yingst, program chairman; Judy Peltzman, vice president. THIRD ROW: Marcia Sellberg, pep assembly chairman; Linda Jones, secretary; Vicki Lane, decorations chairman; Barbara Becker, treasurer. TOP ROW: LaNora Schmidt, concessions chairman. NOT PICTURED: Dea Unruh, publicity chairman.

BOTTOM ROW: Arnelle Hilgenfeld, Diane Winter, Cathy Colyn, Susan Lafferty, Janie Perrin, Nancy Gayer. SECOND ROW: Karen Georing, Jeanette Stucky, Susan Wood, Sydney Miller, DeeAnn Chinberg. TOP ROW: Janis McVay, Carole Rodgers, Judy Frantz, Patricia McKenna, Jennifer Johnson, Janet Wiggins.

BOTTOM ROW: Marva Meats, Pam Reinecker, Virginia Yingst, Gayle Thompson, Janet Mills, Janet Rolander. SECOND ROW: Leslye Johnson, Judy Lloyd, Mardell Bahr, Cindy Barchesky, Judy Hill, Jonell Hall, Susan Krehbiel, Peggy Stucky. TOP ROW: Kathy McNally, Barbara Eaton, Kristi Peirson, Janet DeTour, Donna Everhart, Helen Hoover, Nancy Finney.

BOTTOM ROW: Cindy Weaver, Patty Krehbiel, Judy Peltzman, Marcia Sellberg, Connie Cooper, LaNora Schmidt, Barbara Brazier, Rejene Stowe, Vickie Lane, Connie Gibson. SECOND ROW: Sandra Edwards, Karen McNally, Christine Johnson, Carol Loganbill, Linda Schmidt, Dinah Swinehart, Susie Wachtman, Patty Riddell, Wendy Myers, Marlys Erickson, Linda Jones. TOP ROW: Diana Thomi, Karen Gustafson, Carol Zimbelman, Dianna Christensen, Susan Edgell, Mary Becker, Paula Graalman, Patsy Melland, Louise Krom, Barbara Becker, Becky Schrag, Kay O'Brien.

M-CLUB

boasts af active members, strives for high ideals

Sporting a membership of dedicated athletes, M-Club has, from the first day of school to the very last, been a part of many school activities. To begin the year, a rigid initiation was held. During the Christmas season, a pecan sale boosted the treasury. The M-Club also ushered at home basketball games, gave a pep assembly with six M-Club boys imitating the A-String cheerleaders, and sold sno-cones on May Day. To round off the year's list of events, the annual picnic was held with the parents as guests.

During the years that M-Club has been in existence, it has been trying to fulfill its many purposes, those being to further good sportsmanship and good citizenship, and to instill school spirit in the student body.

Because membership is composed of boys who have received letters for their athletic efforts, they are more aware of the responsibilities and duties they owe to their fellow students. Through the spirit they generate, they are able to stimulate others to achieve not only for themselves, but for the school as well.

CABINET-BOTTOM ROW: David Culver, sergeant-at-arms; Steve Opat, program chairman; John Mauk, president. TOP ROW: Ron Jarvis, vice president; Dave Donham, song leader; Steve Stockham, secretary-treasurer.

M-Club cheerleaders have got what it takes!

BOTTOM ROW: Allen Brown, David Culver, Dave Donham, Dana Sammer, Mike Stewart, Mark Brandsted, David Stagg. TOP ROW: John Pyle, Ron Jarvis, David Rhoads, Bob Read, Jack Vetter, Dick Thompson, Mike McGhee.

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The M-Club boys don't always find afternoon snacks too appetizing.

One of M-Club's projects is to sponsor a Mom's night at a home basketball game.

The "class of '28" wins again.

It's batman!

BOTTOM ROW: Jerry French, Steve Opat, John Mauk, Steve Stockham, Cameron Knackstedt, Larry Reiswig. TOP ROW: Ron Sloup, Paul Hamilton, Paul Krehbiel, Randy Spann, Gene Anderson, Tom McKean, Dale Leach.

JCL

closes career,

with busy year

By working industriously on various projects, the Junior Classical League raised needed funds for their annual Roman banquet, this year called "Saturnalia." Guests were appropriately dressed in Roman costumes, and "finger foods" were prepared and served by Mrs. Brungardt.

Money-raising campaigns included the sale of popcorn balls before Halloween and bake sales during the year.

On March 26, most of the membership attended the state convention at Wichita Heights High School. The McPherson chapter was responsible for leading discussion in the "Latin Banquet" workshop.

CABINET-STANDING: Sue Embers, vice president; Alma Herbers, treasurer; Kathy Taylor, president; Jennifer Johnson, secretary. SEATED: Mrs. Nirider, sponsor.

Jim and Cathy Heckard appear in their costumes at the annual Latin Club Banquet.

BOTTOM ROW: Shirley Johnson, Susan Krehbiel, Carol Peterson, Kathy Taylor, Alma Herbers, Jennifer Johnson. SECOND ROW: Sue Embers, Kerry Peel, Carrol Hassman, Gary Stromberg, James Heckard, Cathy Heckard. TOP ROW: David Stagg, Don Pierce, Phil Higdon, Steve Gustafson, Tim Vernick.

FHA

conducts maiden week,

participates in many activities

Numerous activities were carried out by the Future Homemakers of America during the school term. An annual project and a chief money-making venture of the FHA was the cookbook sale. Community service projects included the gathering of clothes for the Navajo Indians and visitations at The Cedars.

For the benefit of the girls, Maidens' week was held March 20-26. During the entire week, the boys were at the mercy of the girls as the female delegation dated boys at their own expense.

During the month of March, the FHA honored their mothers at the Mother-Daughter Banquet, the spring social event.

The state and district conferences were also held in the spring. The McPherson Chapter hosted the District G conference, and many of the McPherson members attended the state convention at Topeka.

Scenes from the FHA Mother-Daughter Banquet

CABINET-BOTTOM ROW: Arnelle Hilgenfeld, vice president; Louise Krom, president; Mrs. Hill, sponsor; Kathy McNally, treasurer; Saundra Swick Bruce, secretary; Barbara Eaton, historian. SECOND ROW: Cheryn Edgell, Becky Schrag, Janet Wiggins, Dea Anne Bacon, Peggy Stucky, Janet Mills. TOP ROW: Donna Everhart, Janice Burgett, Jolene Peterson, Marilee Krehbiel, Karen McNally.

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BOTTOM ROW: Jolene Peterson, Judy Coughenour, Clara Ewell, Lita Nichols, Carol Peterson, Vicki Lane, Karen McNally. SECOND ROW: Bonnie Scharf, Saundra Swick Bruce, Mary Becker, Janie Perrin, Karen Gustafson, Mary McCall, Thelma Woerz. TOP ROW: Susie Wachtman, Linnea Anderson, Rose Schoen, Susan Fitzsimmons, Marletta Taylor, Kathy Lawrenz, Janis McVay.

BOTTOM ROW: Karen Wickler, Janice Dyer, Donna Everhart, Linda Renberger, Pam Jantz, Peggy Stucky, Julia Emerson. SECOND ROW: Judy Frantz, Sherry Mantz, Linda Keim, Ruby Peterson, Carol Hamilton, Claudia Frantz, Janet Wiggins. TOP ROW: Patty Parsons Emack, Gayle Boardman, Linda Chapman, Shirley Thompson, Susan Yoder, Becky Schrag, Pat Kaufman.

At the FHA District Conference that was held here, Karen McNally models one of her creations.

The FHA sponsors and members donated their services by helping with the TB drive.

BOTTOM ROW: Carolyn Cooke, Kathy McNally, Kay O'Brian, Barbara Eaton, Sharon Morris, Dea Ann Bacon, Arnelle Hilgenfeld. SECOND ROW: Bonnie Burnette, Cheryn Edgell, Peggy Scott, Marilyn Hanson, Sheila Hall, Janet Mills, Paula Graalman, Linda Jones. TOP ROW: Alma Herbers, Louise Krom, Roberta Gutch, Janice Burgett, Marilee Krehbiel, Cheryl Hamilton.

President Louise Krom presides over the installation of new officers.

Sharon Morris models a fashion for the FHA style show.

FFA

wins many honors;

receives much recognition

A year of competition and achievement ushered out the Future Farmers of America for the school year. In October the officers attended the FFA National Convention at Kansas City. Immediately following was the American Royal Livestock Show, which was attended by a large delegation from McPherson. The chapter also observed national FFA week under the theme of "Agriculture is more than Farming."

In district competition the entomology team took first. At state the FFA boys tied for first in dairy products, took second in dairy cattle, and placed fourth in poultry judging. A special honor was awarded to Robert Larson. He was presented with the State FFA Foundation Award in soil conservation and went on to enter the national finals.

On May 6 a Parent-Son Banquet, an annual affair was held. Mike Ankerman, state reporter for the Kansas Association of the Future Farmers of America, was the featured speaker. Awards given that evening included proficiency awards in sheep, swine, dairy and crops, and farming; agriculture and farm mechanic judging letters were presented as well as chapter star awards.

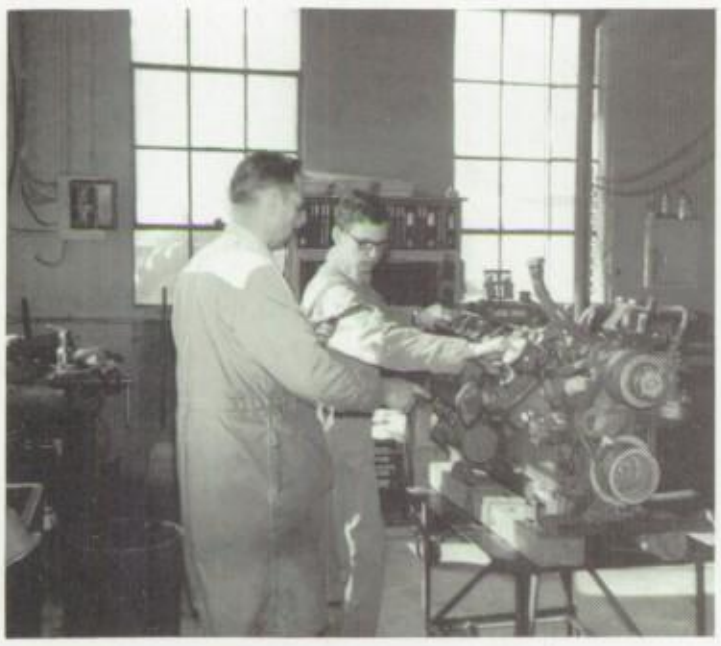
CABINET-BOTTOM ROW: Mr. Schrag, sponsor; Boyd Walker, president; Bill Baldwin, vice president; Gary Stromberg, secretary; Gene Olson, treasurer; Mr. Ramsdale, sponsor. TOP ROW: Dennis Walker, reporter; Greg Mitchell, parliamentarian, Darwin Larson, sentinel.

Greg and Gene Kubin are two members of the team who took first at the South Central District Entomology Contest.

BOTTOM ROW: Boyd Walker, Gary Stromberg, Jim Christiansen, Greg Mitchell, Larry Schafer, Ronald Folck, Larry Walline. SECOND ROW: Steve Martin, Steve Kail, Keith Peterson, Lawrence Johnson, Lonnie Gustafson, Tom Stewart. TOP ROW: Darwin Larson, Lonnie Yowell, Cecil Gage, Christy Sprecher, Don Sorenson, Jim Amann, Norman Burgess, David Larson.

By working on a tractor blade, David Larson is applying some of the skill he has learned in Shop I.

TOP: Robert Larson looks over his pure breed and grade beef cattle herd in vocational agriculture work.



LEFT: Jim Christiansen, mechanic trainee at Inman Implement Co., receives instruction from his manager, C. L. Schmidt.

BOTTOM ROW: Gene Kubin, Gene Olson, Dennis Walker, Robert Larson, Ronnie Brown, Tom French, Greg Kubin. SECOND ROW: Ellis Yoder, Lavon Heitkotter, Engle Yoder, Gerald French, Marvin Johnson, Lowell Larson, Freddy Biere. TOP ROW: Jeff White, Daniel Schafer, Max Flickinger, Joe Hanes, Richard Rhea, Warren Miller, Victor Peterson.

CABINET-SEATED: Mr. Zerger, sponsor; Mr. Unruh, sponsor; Mr. Ediger, sponsor. STANDING: Steve Stockham, president; John Mauk, vice president; Toby Stucky, secretary; Ken Stromquist, treasurer.

SCIENCE CLUB

promotes the sciences; presents science seminars

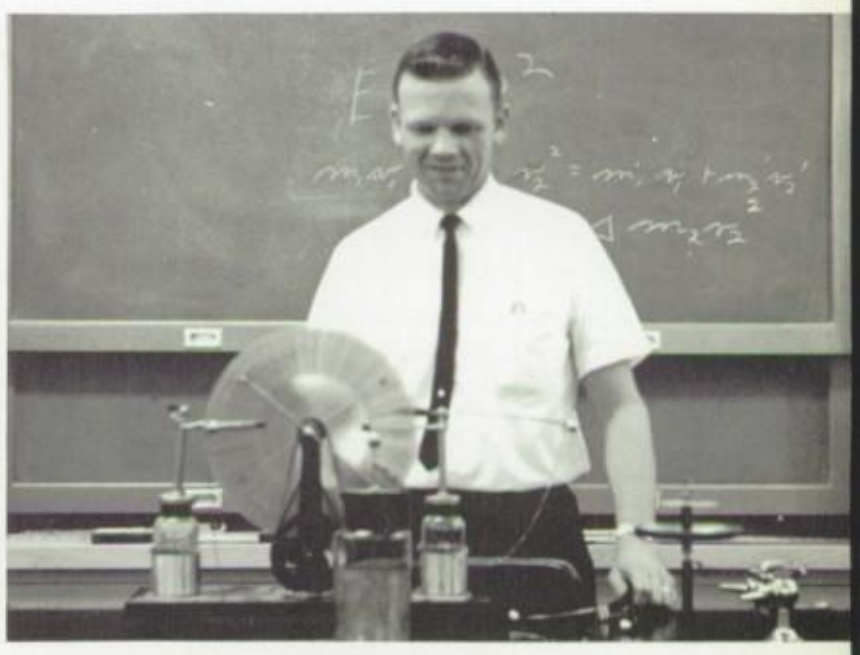
The Science Seminar program, a new aspect in conveying more information to the science student, was initiated at McPherson High School this year. The two seminars that were held on the high school campus were sponsored by the National Science Foundation and the MHS Science Club. Speakers at these programs were Dr. Frank Millich, Associate Professor of Chemistry at the University of Kansas City at Missouri; and Dr. Robert Clarke, Associate Professor of Biology at Emporia.

During its regular monthly meetings, the Science Club featured other renowned guest speakers and lecturers from over the state, as well as having student demonstrations and conducting an "indoor" star gaze.

BOTTOM ROW: Judy Peltzman, Jennifer Johnson, Sydney Miller, Susan Lafferty, Patricia McKenna, Patsy Melland, Dea Unruh, Cynthia Stuart, Sonja Rausch, Cindy Weaver, Connie Dearing. SECOND ROW: Arnelle Hilgenfeld, Susan Wood, Jeanette Stucky, Bonnie Harris, Dolores Wiederhold, Susan Krehbiel, Karen Goering, Alma Herbers, Carol Walline, Sonja Andreas, Judy Ledell. THIRD ROW: Jim Ratzlaff, Bob Marr, David Stagg, Phil Higdon, Gene Olson, Bob Hill, Cameron Schlehuber, Bob Griffith, Tim Vernick, Terry Culver. TOP ROW: Bob Read, Albert Groke, Carrol Hassman, Gary Stromberg, Mark Brandsted, Ronnie Paulseen, Lynn Nelson, Grant Skellenger, Dave Donham, John Pyle, John Kennedy.

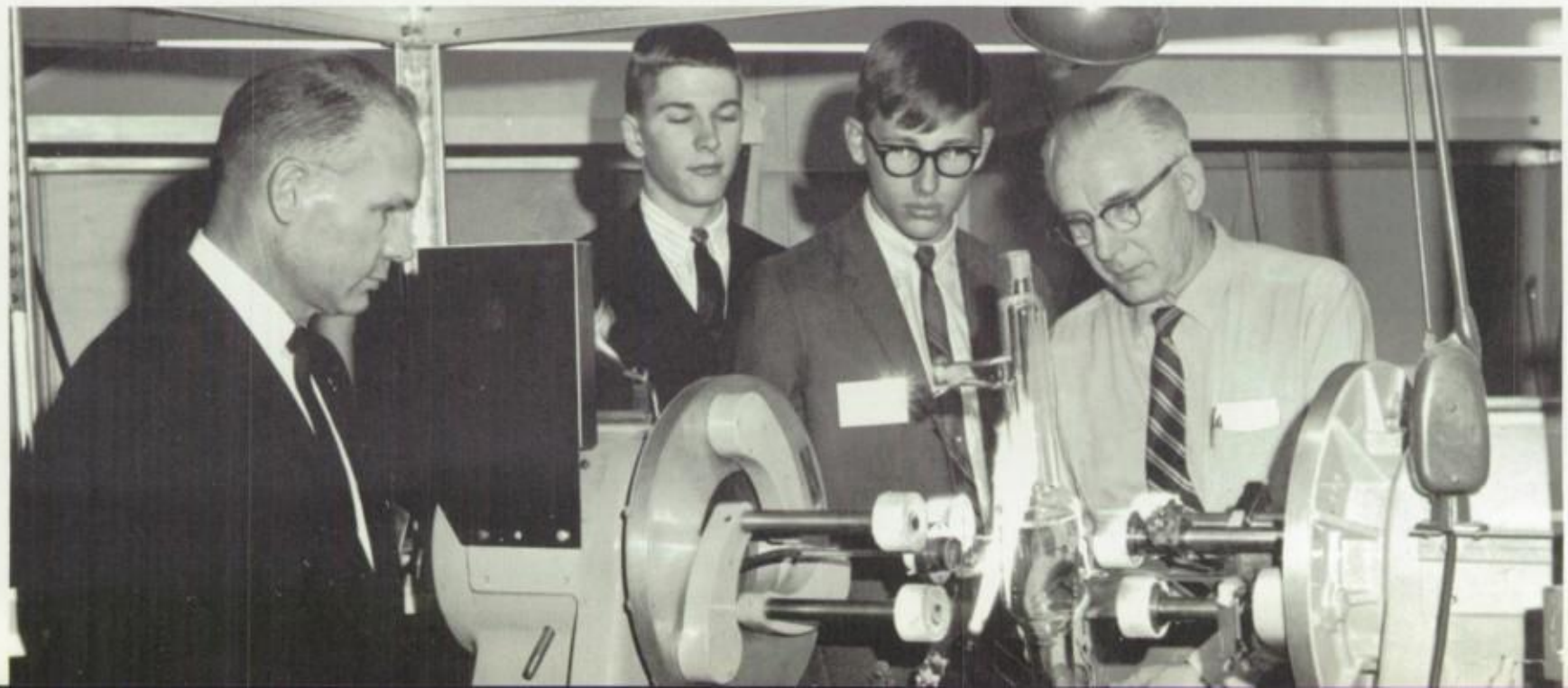
BOTTOM ROW: Gary Spear, Bruce Bates, Karen Wickler, Rejene Stowe, Sue Embers, Kay Kittell, Linda Gayer, Max Nelson, Ronnie Paulseen, Phil D'Amico. SECOND ROW: Robert Poulseen, Jerry Taylor, Cameron Knackstedt, Ken Stromquist, Kenny Metz, Mike Rohling, Robert Gillum, Tom Stout, Mike Walker. TOP ROW: John Mauk, Steve Stockham, Toby Stucky, Monte Giddings, Dennis Johnson, Ernest Pease, Steve Ledell, Keith Fasnacht, Merle Lawler, Darrell Kramer.

Mr. Ediger wants to tell whoever took his plants to be sure and water them every day.



Mr. Unruh believes the best thing about physics is watching the toys.

While visiting Bell Laboratories at Murray Hill, New Jersey, Mr. Zerger watches the making of special glass equipment.



DEBATE

experiences triumphant season; has oratorical winner

The 1965-66 season was a triumphant one for the Bullpup debate teams. The varsity squads won seventy-five per cent of their debates while the novice teams had an excellent record of sixty-five per cent wins.

Consistently impressive records in tournaments over the state rated our teams as some of the best. At the Pratt and Dodge City tournaments we brought home first place trophies; second places were captured at Valley Center and Greensburg; and teams took third at Great Bend, Southeast, and St. Mary's. We also took a fifth place trophy; this was at Hoisington.

The McPherson Second Annual Invitational Debate Tourney was held at the high school on November 19 and 20. Sixty teams from thirty schools participated with Garden City taking top honors.

Many of the debate students also participated in district and state speech and drama contests. Those who went to State took five I's and three II's.

This year a senior from McPherson High School had the privilege of representing McPherson in the American Legion Oratorical Contest; this student is Ken Stromquist. Ken went on to represent the county and progressed to competition at District where he won second place.

Bonnie Kaufman, Jeanie Zerger, and Susan Heitschmidt plan their next year's case.

Mr. Finton shows the style and enthusiasm that led his debate teams to victory.

BOTTOM ROW: Peggy Stucky, Connie Dearing, Paula Seidel, Bonnie Kaufman, Susan Heitschmidt, Jeannie Zerger, Jennifer Johnson, Judy Lloyd. SECOND ROW: Ronnie Bell, Ronnie Paulseen, Eric Anderson, Sue Cook, Paula Barker, Shirley Thompson, Gayle Thompson, Teri Banman, Ken Stromquist. TOP ROW: Gary Gardner, Jack Wells, Rodney Peer, Phil Higdon, Don Pierce, Mike McGhee, Dick Thompson, Cameron Schlehuber, Bob Griffith.

So this is what the debaters do when they are supposed to be working for their next tournament!

Ken Stromquist, American Legion Oratorical Contest winner.

"Don't look now, Peggy, but we are being observed by some stranger."

Bonnie Kaufman exhibits her skill as a debater while her colleagues and Mr. Finton listen interestingly?

These are the trophies that were given at MHS's annual debate tourney.

This is a sample of the "goods" that were brought back to be placed in the trophy case.

SAFETY CLUB

promotes safety;

plans for consolidation

Safety Club once again tried to promote the interests of vehicular safety in and around the town of McPherson. Early in the year, the club held a car-window wash on Main Street to encourage community interest. During the winter months, milk cartons were filled with sand and distributed to filling stations within the city. The filling stations in turn dispersed these to drivers who could use the contents in case they got stuck in the snow. These, and other projects the club carried out, helped to encourage safety in the school and in the community. Through the club efforts, the community became more aware of the importance traffic safety plays in their lives.

Next year, Stu-Co and Safety Club will consolidate to form an organization designed to promote safety and represent the student body at the same time. School service and safety practices will continue to be the major principles of Safety Club after this combination of two worthy and competent organizations.

CABINET-SEATED: Sonja Rausch, president. STANDING: Mr. Stevens, sponsor; Cameron Schlehuber, secretary; Bob Hill, treasurer; Bob Griffith, vice president.

On his way to check cars, Mr. Stevens pauses to have his picture taken.

BOTTOM ROW: Melinda Badgett, Karen Barrow, Peggy Scott, Dolores Weiderhold, Linnea Anderson, Kathie Shields, Shirley Frantz, Brenda Ollek. SECOND ROW: Grace White, Sonja Rausch, Kathy Taylor, Dale Beals, Landvis Nelson, Gail Tinsley, Thelma Woerz, LaNora Schmidt, Janet Bruce. TOP ROW: Dana Sammer, Jack Vetter, Mark Larson, Jim Hand, Jim Ratzlaff, Bob Griffith, Cameron Schlehuber, Bob Hill, Kendal Betzen.

LOOK, YOU'RE ON CANDID CAMERA

"Would you be interested in the latest fashions from the sock world? "asks Scott.

Watch it, Thomi, he's the boss!

Now we know what head cheerleaders do in their spare time.

"Calling all seniors--come to the office, sign out, then go to DON'S STUDIO - by the most direct route, " calls Connie Lietz over the inter-com.

I now crown you King for a Day!

"What happened to the rest of the boys?" Coach Rickner asks.

THE 1966 BULLPUP STAFF WISHES TO THANK THESE FIRMS FOR THEIR FINANCIAL SUPPORT

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RALEIGH'S DRUGS

VOCAL MUSIC

proves a pleasure

for singers, audiences

The vocal music department provided a busy, rewarding segment of life at MHS for those who take their music vocally. The Mixed Chorus, robed in red and white, brilliantly represented MHS at the CKL clinic and at the Kansas State Workshop. The group also displayed their love for music in its presentation of special numbers in the spring musical, Christmas, Thanksgiving, and Easter assemblies.

The Mixed Ensemble, a small, selected group, captivated its audiences with varied routines and colorful appearance. This group traveled extensively throughout the area, performing before numerous clubs and civic organizations.

Pastel green denoted this year's all-girl Treble Clef. This group, too, has participated frequently in various programs, and has always been warmly accepted. Highlight of the season for the thirteen girls, who have sung together for two seasons, was the I rating they received at District and State.

Mildred Kohler, vocal director.

The MHS mixed chorus sings for the Thanksgiving assembly.

MIXED CHORUS-BOTTOM ROW: Oleta Ripper Yowell, Sondra Brewer, Cindy Barchesky, Diana Thomi, Terry Rupp, Helen Hoover, Thelma Woerz, Sherry Hein, Dianna Christensen, Bonnie Burnette. SECOND ROW: Betty French, Judy Bughman, Sharon Morris, Janis McVay, Shirley Frantz, Teri Wilson, Mary Widiger, Pat Kaufman, Gail Tinsley, Judy Lloyd, Judy Peltzman. THIRD ROW: Kathy McNally, Cathy Colyn, Virginia Yingst, Barbara Eaton, Lennette Lundberg, Bruce Bates, Fred Taylor, Greg Millard, Vickie Kaiser, Connie Cooper, LaNora Schmidt, Susan Edgell, Patty Duncan. TOP ROW: Phil D'Amico, Pete Kaufman, Jerry Taylor, Landvis Nelson, Dick Thompson, Warren Hjerpe, Dick Potter, Max Nelson, Steve Gustafson, Jim Burton, Dennis Sorenson, Dana Sammer, Jack Vetter, Mark Brandsted, Mike Wash.

BOTTOM ROW: Kenny Gray, Arnelle Hilgenfeld, Rejene Stow, David Kubin. SECOND ROW: Cameron Knackstedt, Diane Winter, Jolene Peterson, Lynn Nelson, Susan Wood, David Stagg. TOP ROW: Steve Stockham, Shirley Thompson, Mike McGhee, Susan Lafferty, Barbara Brazier, Mark Casebeer.

BOTTOM ROW: Judy Bughman, Pat Kaufman, Judy Lloyd, Dianna Christensen, Ginny Yingst, Kathy McNally. TOP ROW: Vickie Kaiser, Marcia Sellberg, Cathy Colyn, Barbara Eaton, Carol Zimbelman, Lanora Schmidt, Connie Cooper.

Keep your hands in place, boys!

"I wish we had learned the words to this song!"

ACCOMPANISTS-FRONT ROW: Karen Goering, Marcia Sellberg, Carol Zimbelman. TOP ROW: Carrol Hassman, Landvis Nelson, David Kubin.

ABOVE AND LEFT: The Treble Clef received the only I group rating at State.

Shirley Thompson (LEFT) and Cameron Knackstedt (RIGHT) received I ratings at State.

SPRING MUSICAL

brings pleasure

to appreciative audience

"You, and The Night, and the Music," the theme of the spring musical, found MHS singers all dressed and looking "mighty purty!"

Brought back by popular demand were the unforgettable children, the seven Von Trapps, from "The Sound of Music."

Dance, as well as song, was a feature of this spring's presentation. Rejene Stowe and George Billue added much with their ballet number, performed as an accompanist to Jeanette Stucky's vocal solo.

Remember, boys--SMILE!

Treble Clef girls sing "Lullaby of Birdland"

Cameron Knackstedt, popular soloist, appropriately sings "My Romance."

"So long, Farwell," warble the Von Trapp children.

Billue, Stowe, and Stucky during the special ballet number.

Capt. Von Trapp, the widowed father of seven, sings his love song to Maria, the orphan girl who, as governess, has re-awakened him and his children to the sound of music--and a happy, bustling life.

"THE SOUND OF MUSIC"

creates enjoyment; stirs a few tears

"The Sound of Music" is a musical based on the true story of the Von Trapp family, who escaped from Austria in 1939. With the enthusiasm of the seven Von Trapp children, the musical was entertaining and enjoyable. Especially outstanding were the nun chorus and the Bavarian Alps settings, the singing Abbess, Maria's gaiety, Von Trapp's voice, and Elsa's flirting.

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Maria . . . . . Arnelle Hilgenfeld
Capt. George Von Trapp . . . Cameron Knackstedt
Mother Abbess . . . . . Shirley Thompson
Sister Berthe . . . . . Jolene Peterson
Sister Margaretta . . . . . Susan Lafferty
Sister Sophia . . . . . Karen Goering
Franz . . . . . Mike McGhee
Frau Schmidt . . . . . Diane Thomi
Rolf Gruber . . . . . Dennis Swick
Elsa Schraeder . . . . . Susan Wood
Max Ditweiler . . . . . Lynn Nelson
Herr Zeller . . . . . Max Nelson
Baron Aberfeld . . . . . Bruce Bates

The Von Trapp children:

Liesel . . . . . Vicki Lane
Frederick . . . . . Danny Lawrenz
Brigitta . . . . . Bunny Miller
Kurt . . . . . Danny Hibbett
Louisa . . . . . Shanna Gibson
Marto . . . . . Amy Case
Gretl . . . . . Dawn Price

"Do-re-mi-fa-sol-la-ti-do", sound off the Von Trapp children, headed by sixteen-year old Liesel.

"The hills are alive with the sound of music."

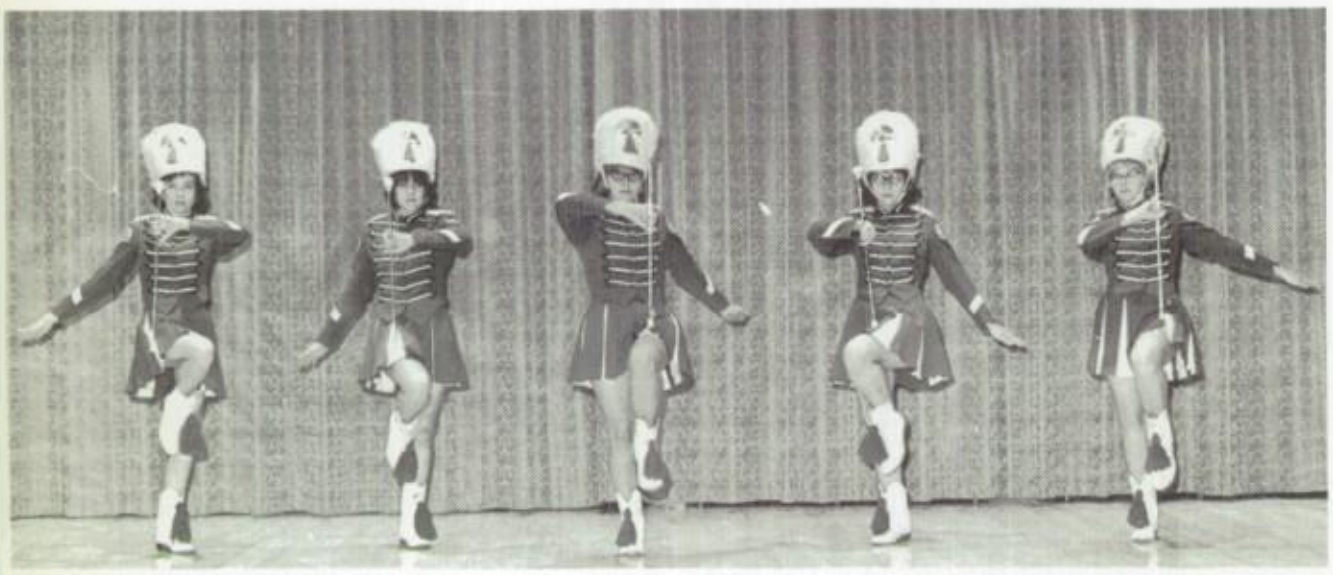
As Max, Lynn Nelson steals the show with his high style comedy.

"I am sixteen going on seventeen," sing Liesel and Rolf.

The Sisters kneel in prayer at Nonnberg Abbey.

The Von Trapp children join with Maria in singing "The Lonely Goatherd" to scare away the fear of the thunderstorm.

The MARCHING 100 at one of its quieter moments.



TWIRLERS: Sonja Smith, Bernita Morris, Kay Kittell, Jeanie Korte, Cynthia Barchesky.

DIRECTOR:
Bryce Luty

DRUM MAJORETTE:
Lynette Holloway

BAND

provides fine music;

represents Kansas

Snappy marching, fine music, and expert drilling combined to form a unit which gained much attention and recognition.

Under the able direction of Mr. Bryce Luty, the band provided the entertainment for the football games, marched at the K-State Band Day, and participated in the Hylingsfest and All-Schools Day celebrations.

The band's highlight was representing the State of Kansas at the National Jay Cee Convention, held at Detroit, Michigan, in June.

DANCE BAND-FRONT ROW: Pete Flemming, Sue Embers, Leslye Johnson, Dave Kubin, Jerry Renchler. SECOND ROW: Jerry Juhnke, Denny Brunk, Linda Neel, Steven Gustafson, David Stagg. TOP ROW: Mr. Luty, Kenny Bechtel, Mike Stewart, Jay Sollenberger, Randy Spann, Jim Keefer, Jeanette Stucky, Carrol Hassman, Bob Sorenson.

STRINGS: Susan Wood, Teresa Andreas, Carrol Hassman, Jim Keefer, Wayne Morris, David Stagg.

PEP BAND-FRONT ROW: Jeanette Stucky, Lynette Holloway, Carol Zimbelman, Sue Burton, Robert Poulseen, Cindy Barchesky, Kay Kittell, Sonja Smith, Melinda Badgett, Gary Holloway. SECOND ROW: Susan Wood, Sydney Miller, Carrol Hassman, David Kubin, Sue Embers, Sherry Hein, Jerry Renchler, Leslye Johnson, Claudia Frantz, Richard Hazelton, Bob Sorenson. THIRD ROW: Dennis Casebeer, Jim Keefer, Jack Chisholm, Karl Peterson, Landvis Nelson, Jay Sollenberger, Kenny Bechtel, Mike Stewart. TOP ROW: Mike Milleson, Steve Ledell, Joe Scoby, Jerry Juhnke, Denny Brunk, Steven Gustafson, David Stagg.

WIND ENSEMBLE

SIXTH HOUR BAND OFFICERS: Mark Casebeer, Marcia Sellberg, Sue Embers, Sydney Miller, David Stagg, Carrol Hassman, Kay Kittell.

SIXTH HOUR BAND-FRONT ROW: Sydney Miller, Jeanette Stucky, Lynette Holloway, Carrol Hassman, Melinda Badgett, Leslye Johnson, Cindy Barchesky, Kay Kittell, Marcia Sellberg. SECOND ROW: Susan Wood, Carol Zimbelman, Sue Burton, Robert Poulseen, Greg Powell, Carol Peterson, Rachel Conway, Phil D'Amico, Greg Millard, Karl Peterson, Randy Spann, Landvis Nelson, Kenny Bechtel, Jay Sollenberger, Mike Stewart, Mark Casebeer. THIRD ROW: Claudia Frantz, Sherry Hein, Jerry Renchler, Dale Leach, Joan Newell, Sonja Smith, Sue Embers, David Kubin, Pete Flemming, Jim Keefer, Denny Brunk, Greg Rhoads, Steve Gustafson, Linda Neel, David Stagg.

"Doc" Severinson and Director Bryce Luty relax before concert.

The Dave Kubin Quartet added much to jazz concerts in McPherson this year. Members: Dave Kubin, Mark Casebeer, Jim Keefer, and Bob Sorenson.

CLARINET CHOIR: Sydney Miller, Jeanette Stucky, Lynette Holloway, Sue Burton, Carol Peterson, Susan Wood, Carol Zimbelman, Greg Powell, Carrol Hassman, Claudia Frantz, Robert Poulseen, Sonja Smith, Joan Newell.

WOODWIND THREE: Leslye Johnson, Sydney Miller, Carrol Hassman.

TRUMPET FOUR: Mike Stewart, Mark Casebeer, Kenny Bechtel, Jay Sollenberger.

TROMBONE SEVEN: David Stagg, Steven Ledell, Joe Scoby, Jerry Juhnke, Denny Brunk, Steven Gustafson, Linda Neel.

BRASS CHOIR: Mike Stewart, Jay Sollenberger, Kenny Bechtel, Landvis Nelson, Randy Spann, Rachel Conway, Jim Keefer, David Stagg, Denny Brunk, Steve Gustafson, Linda Neel.

STATE WINNERS

The Winners of State I Ratings

Jeanette Stucky

Linda Neel

Jay Sollenberger

Marcia Sellberg

Bob
Sorenson

Mike Stewart

Mark Casebeer

Carrol Hassman

Dave Kubin

Jim Keefer

Sydney Miller

VARSITY BAND

attends many functions; presents numbers

The varsity band, an essential part of the instrumental music department, helped to make the marching band complete. The hard work and practice paid off in the concerts they presented and in the marching they performed.

Practice hard, you guys!

VARSITY BAND OFFICERS: Jerald Juhnke, Rodney Peer, Jerry Pottroff, Linda Keim, Steve Bergmier, Earnest Pease, Dennis Casebeer.

BAND CALENDAR

Football show	Sept. 17
Football show	Oct. 1
Kansas University Band Day	Oct. 2
Football show	Oct. 15
Fall band concert	Dec. 2
CKL String Clinic	Feb. 3
Wind ensemble concert	Feb. 6
Varsity band concert	Feb. 17
CKL Band Clinic	Mar. 16
Doc Severinson Concert	Mar. 23
State Music Festival	Apr. 1, 2
Jazz concert	May 1
May Day	May 20
Detroit Trip	June 27-July 2

VARSITY BAND-FRONT ROW: Donna Nickel, Mary Stover, Sherry Mantz, Jeanie Korte, JaNeva Anderson, Linda Keim. SECOND ROW: Norma Stiawalt, Donna Arthaud, Marcia Storm, Charles Postier, Lowell Larson, Gary Gardner, Rodney Peer, Earnest Pease, Jack Chisholm. THIRD ROW: Monte Tipton, James Heckard, Ronald Cook, Steve Nordstrom, Kenny Metz, Jerry Pottroff, Steve Bergmier, Dennis Casebeer, Larry Davis, Don Boswell, Gary Bishop, Steven Ledell, Joe Scoby, Jerald Juhnke. BACK ROW: Dick Oberly, Darryl Swick, Charles Skellenger, Stanley Keck, Roger Lasater, Mike Milleson, Mr. Luty.

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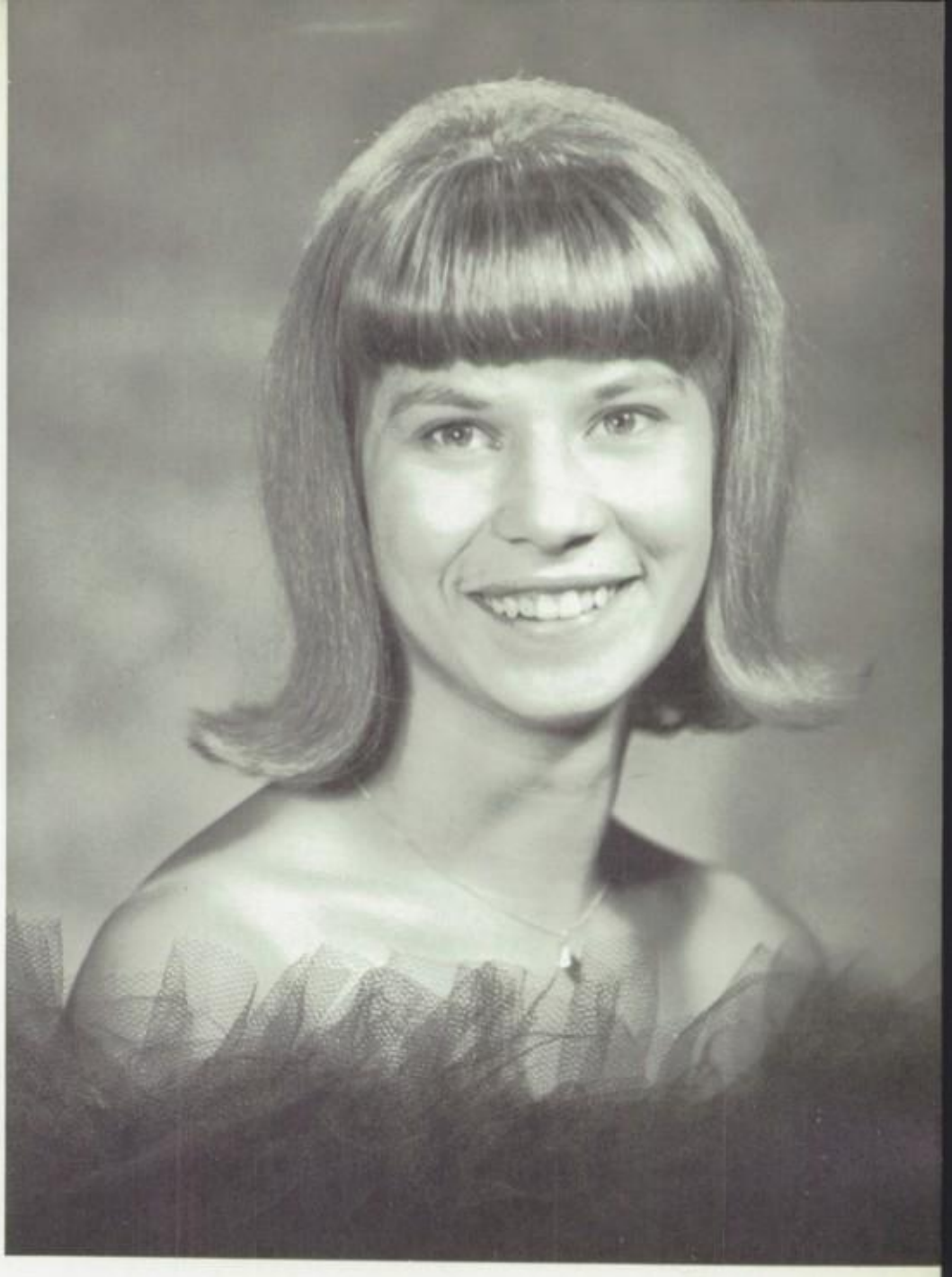
FOOTBALL ROYALTY

"AUTUMN SPLENDOR"

Attendant—Linda Jones



Queen—Judy Peltzman

(shown on opposite page)

Attendant—Arnelle Hilgenfeld

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BASKETBALL ROYALTY

"MOONLIGHT AND ROSES"

Attendant—Connie Lietz

Queen—Sydney Miller

(shown on opposite page)

Attendant—Shirley Thompson

COMPLIMENTS OF
MARY ANN'S AND BEAU MART
BEAUTY SALON

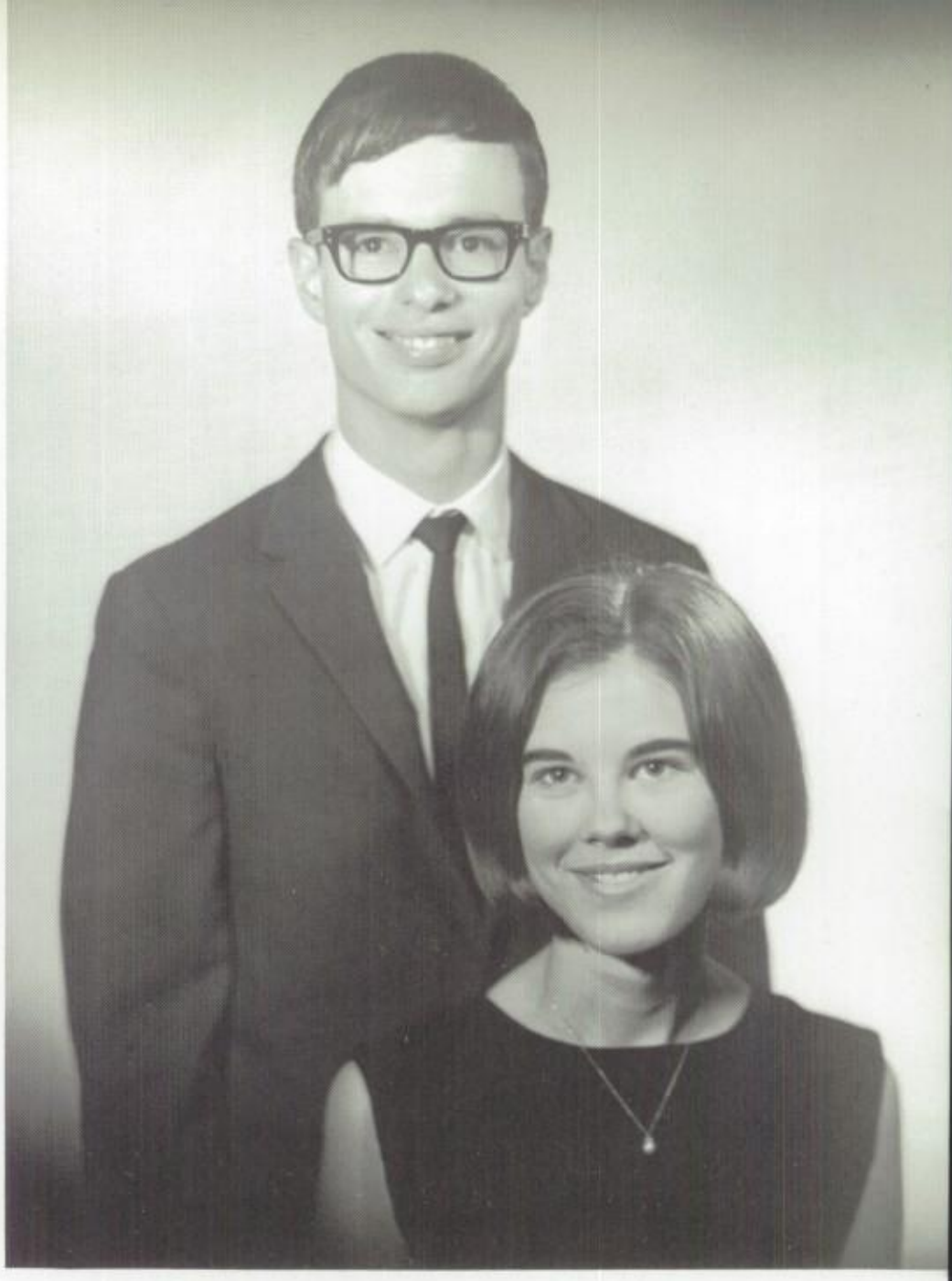
CHARITY BALL

carries Cinderella theme;

provided holiday charities

Chiming twelve, the old grandfather clock brought to a close the exciting evening which featured Cinderella's golden coach, a wishing well which made dreams come true, and a multitude of colorful shields which turned the Activity Center into a baronial hall.

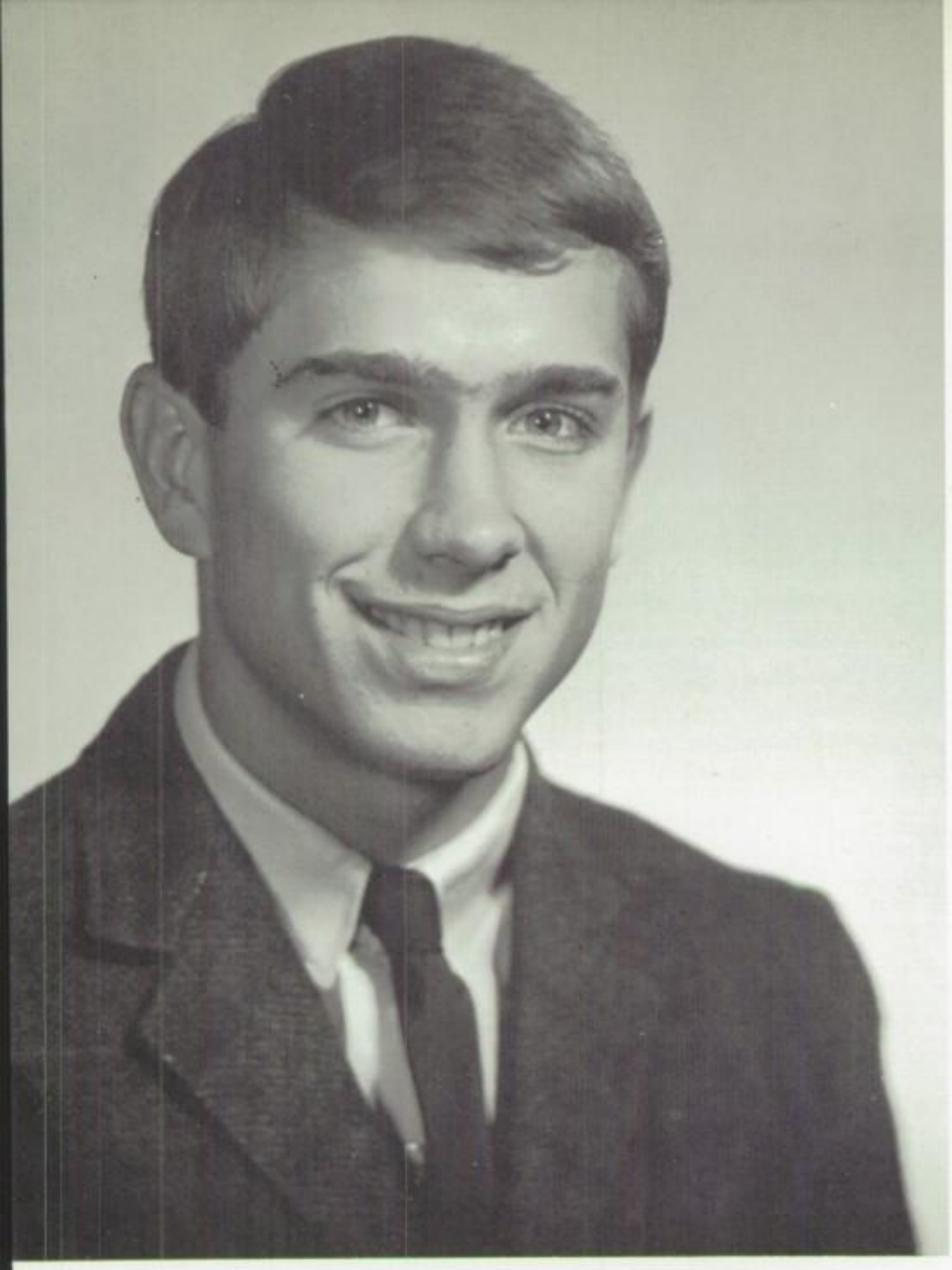
Music for "Cinderella's Ball" was provided by the David Kubin Quartet. Special numbers were "Pinderella", a reading given by Cindy Barchesky, and a medley of German tunes, played by Mr. Miller.



King Toby Stucky and Queen Patsy Melland presided over the Charity Ball, sponsored jointly by Hi-Y and Kayettes to provide funds for holiday charities.

Harris to Harris--it's been a harassing day for Mr. Carl Harris, Hi-Y sponsor, and Bonnie Harris, Kayette worker.

"I thought you ordered the food!"



MR. AND MISS SENIOR HONORS

Mr. MHS—Max Thye

Miss MHS—Arnelle Hilgenfeld

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MR. SCHOLARSHIP
John Mauk

MR. MUSIC
Mark Casebeer

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Phil Higdon

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Steve Stockham

MR. PERSONALITY
David Stagg

MR. SPORTSMANSHIP
Jerry Martens

MISS MUSIC
Shirley Thompson

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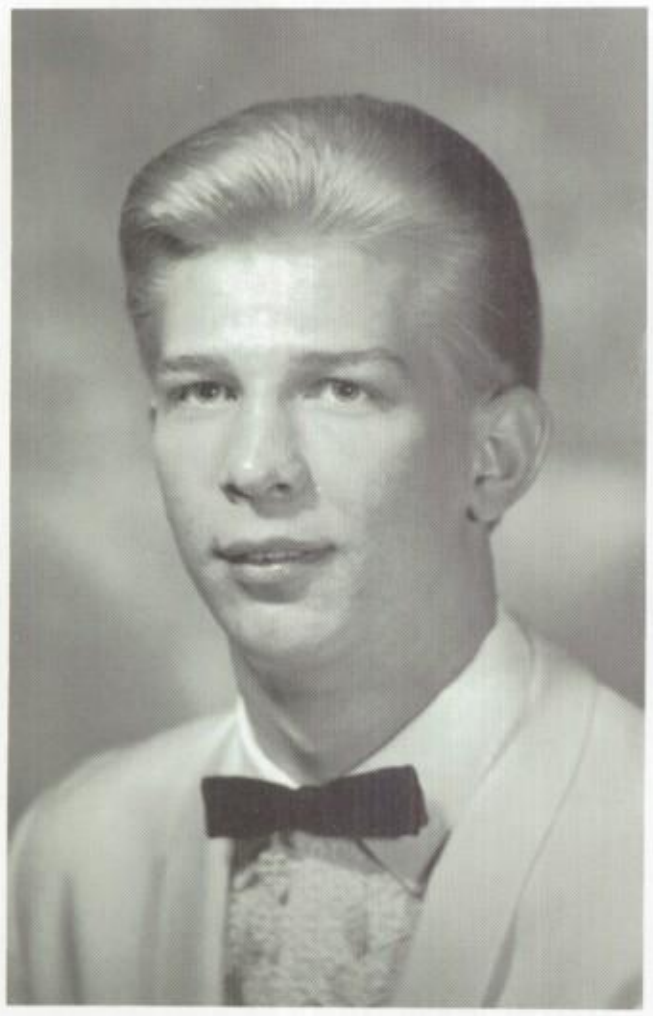
PROM ROYALTY



PRINCE-Guy Cunningham
QUEEN-Linda Jones

KING-John Mauk

PRINCESS-Vickie Kaiser

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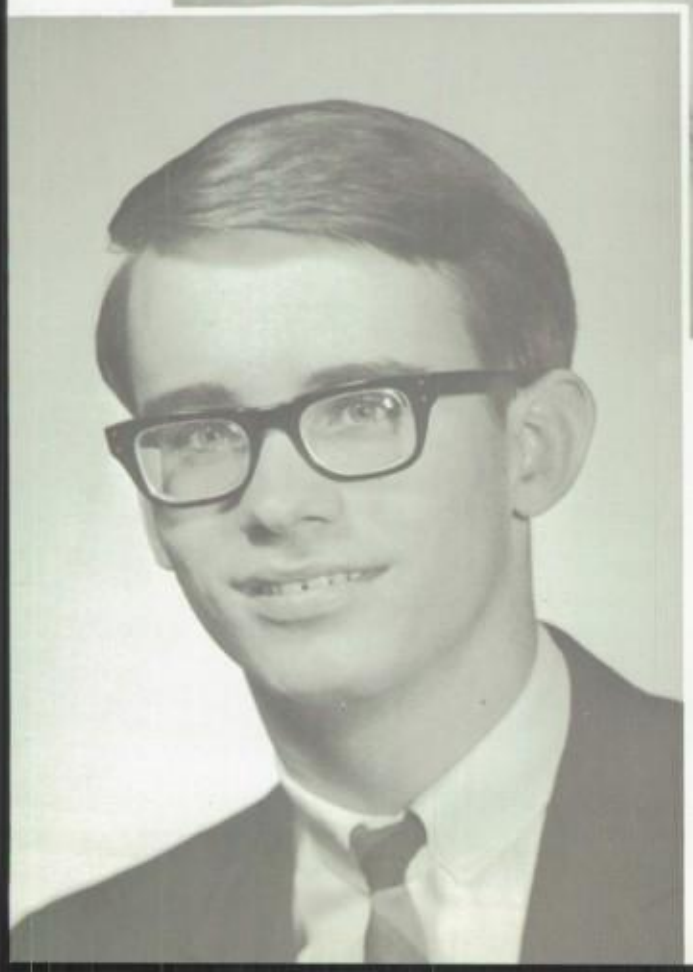


MAY FETE ROYALTY

QUEEN: LOUISE KROM

PRINCE CHARMING:
Steve Stockham

MAID OF HONOR:
Rejene Stowe

COMPLIMENTS OF DUCKWALL'S

CROSS COUNTRY

has its moments; experiences new coach

Hampered by severe weather and injuries, which kept the top runners from regional and state competition, the MHS cross-country squad lettered three seniors, while underclassmen received valuable experience.

Steve Opat, senior and second-year man, paced the team with a 10:35, while Bill Morrow and Dan Vance, sophomores, boasted a fine 11:44 time.

This was Coach Keith Rickner's first season. With six of the nine-man squad returning, Coach Rickner is entitled to that broad smile he's wearing.

CROSS COUNTRY MEETS

Wamego (Invit.)	MHS	9th
Hutchinson (Invit.)	"	7th
Buhler (dual)	"	1st
Salina (Invit.)	"	7th
McPherson (Invit.)	"	3rd
CKL	"	7th
McPherson final	"	3rd

That long, long trail!

Notice the smiles? That is because they're just taking off, not coming in. The runners are: Dennis Anderson, Mike McGhee, Phil D'Amico.

SQUAD, BOTTOM ROW: Phil D'Amico, Larry Smith, Dan Vance, Dennis Anderson. TOP ROW: John Sueneram, Gary Spear, Bion Beebee, Mike McGhee; Cameron Knackstedt, mgr.

FOOTBALL

provided thrills

for loyal fans

MHS Bullpups put out a lot of effort during the 1965 season; and if they did not win a majority of their games, they did produce a lot of thrilling moments for their fans. Under a new coach, Jack VanAmberg, the Pups began to build a strong team among the underclassmen.

The student body shows its enthusiasm for the football squad.

SENIOR LETTERMEN-BOTTOM ROW: Steve Palmer, David Stagg. SECOND ROW: Kenny Adams, Max Thye, Bob Read. THIRD ROW: John Mauk, Ronald Roe, Danny Schafer, Gale Premer. TOP ROW: John Kennedy, Gene Anderson, Ronald Jarvis, Lonnie Yowell, Kenny Wash.

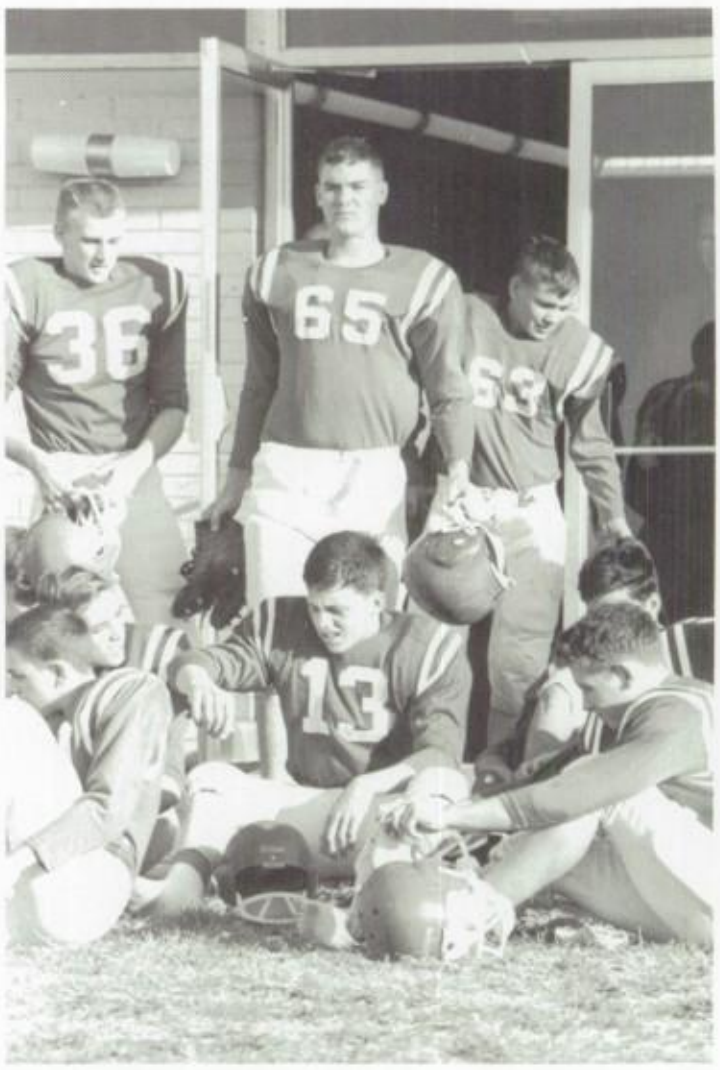
A-TEAM FOOTBALL

plays hard and tough;

loses many close ones

The "A" squad certainly played hard and tough, but it could not seem to find the winning token, although it gave fans many a thrill.

Coach VanAmberg, new at MHS, lost fourteen lettermen through graduation. However, the remainder of the A-squad should give Coach VanAmberg a strong starting team for next season, due to the experience acquired during the 1965 games.



I tell you, it smarts!

BOTTOM ROW: Kenny Wash, Jerry French, Paul Krehbiel, Dave Donham, Mark Brandsted, Allen Brown, Kenny Adams, Daniel Schafer. SECOND ROW: Charles Postier, Mike Baird, John Kennedy, John Mauk, Max Thye, Ronald Roe, John Pyle, Tom McKean, David Culver, Dale Leach, Jerry Maxwell. TOP ROW: Ron

COACHES: Charles Spongberg, Bill Stevens, Jack VanAmberg, Dick Finton.

MANAGERS: Randy Spann, Stanley Keck, Gene Anderson.

Sloup, Dave Rhoads, Steve Palmer, Bob Read, Gale Premer, Jack Vetter, Ron Jarvis, Greg Mitchell, Dick Thompson, Ed Ediger, Don Sorenson, David Stagg, Lonnie Yowell.

LINEMEN-BOTTOM ROW: Ronald Jarvis, Ronald Roe, John Mauk, Ed Ediger, Allen Brown. TOP ROW: Gale Premer, Mike Baird, David Stagg, Bob Read, Greg Mitchell, Jerry French.

BACKS-BOTTOM ROW: Dale Leach, Dick Thompson, John Pyle. TOP ROW: Paul Krehbiel, Mark Brandsted, Dave Donham, Kenny Adams, Lonnie Yowell, Tom McKean, Dan Schafer, Jerry Maxwell, Dave Culver.

ENDS-BOTTOM ROW: Ken Wash, Jack Vetter. TOP ROW: Charles Postier, Don Sorenson, Dave Rhoades, Steve Palmer, Max Thye, John Kennedy, Ron Sloup.

Good pass protection for McPherson pass.

Donham and Jarvis bring down Chapman ball carrier.

B-TEAM FOOTBALL

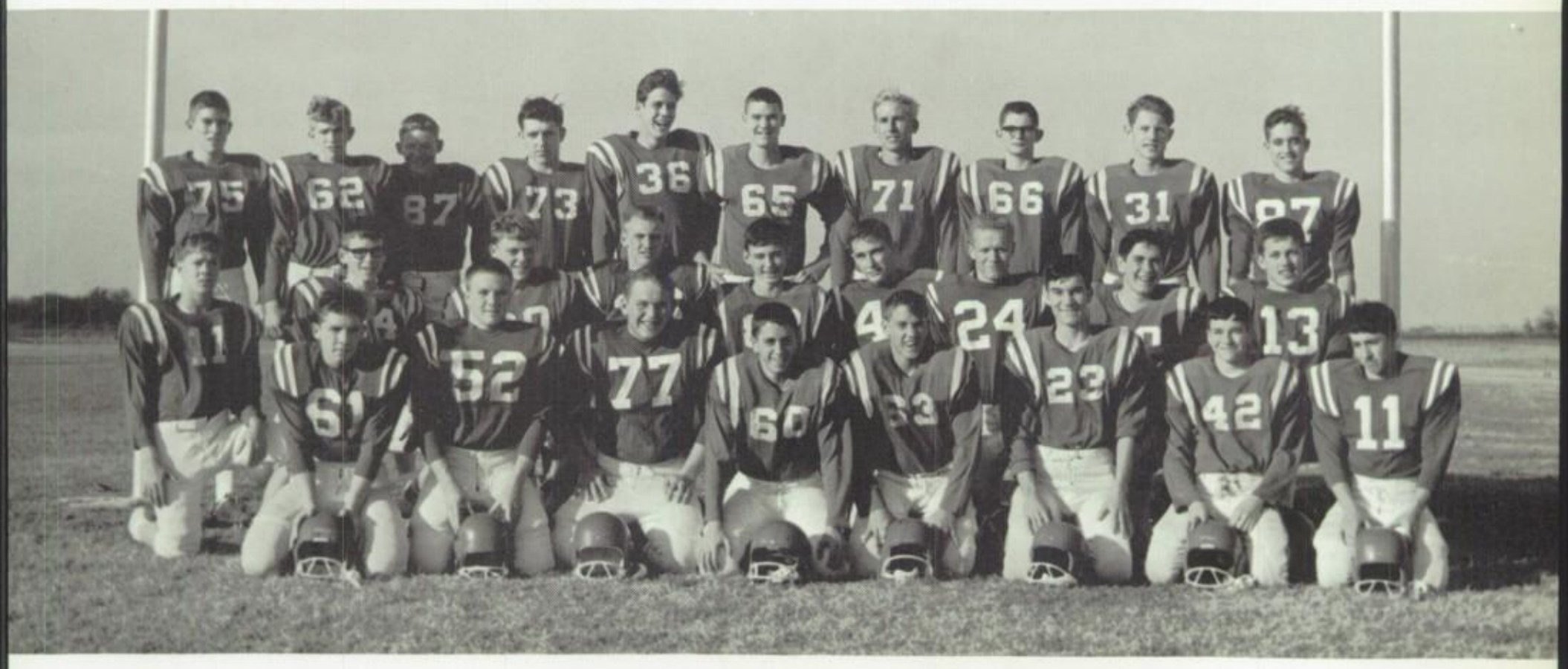
plays with determination; practices hard

The "B" team had a somewhat successful season with wins over Buhler and Hutchinson. One of the most promising incidents of the season was the 14 to 0 victory the McPherson sophomores had over the Newton team. The boys played with much poise and hit with determination. This victory was encouraging to the coaches and will provide incentive for next year. The "B" team was coached by Charles Sponberg, Bill Stevens, and Dick Finton.

1, 2, 3, 4, . . . 1, 2, 3, 4. When did you say this season ends?

Culver is working as hard as usual.

BOTTOM ROW: Monte Giddings, Doug Chaney, Jerry French, Jerry Pottroff, Larry Boughfman, Dick Oberly, Denny Brunk, Jerry Maxwell. SECOND ROW: Howard Wiebe, Gerald French, Jeff Bremyer, Paul Krehbiel, Mark Rhoades, John Pyle, Tom McKean, Bruce Bates, Dale Leach. TOP ROW: Gary Gardner, Mike Achilles, Lemayne DeWild, David O'Dell, Brock Slyter, Pat Jones, Greg Mitchell, Roger Inloes, Don Sorenson, Ron Sloup.



A-BASKETBALL

wins again;

hosts tournament

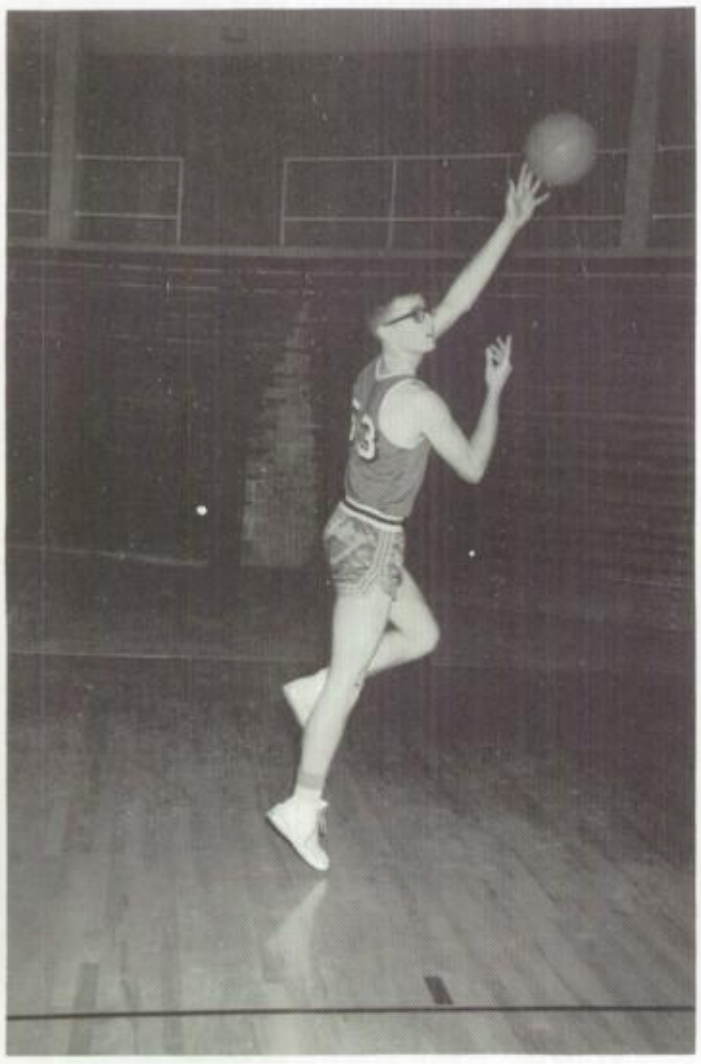
Despite the fact that the MHS basketball team lost six of its top players by graduation, Coach Frazier formed a new, winning squad this year. Jerry Martens, Larry Reiswig, and Steve Palmer were the only returning lettermen.

After McPherson defeated Manhattan in their second game with Manhattan this year, the Pups and Indians were tied for first place in the CKL. However, three days later when the Salina Mustangs came to the Roundhouse, Salina walked away with the victory. The Bullpups ended with a 10-2 record in the CKL which put them in second place.

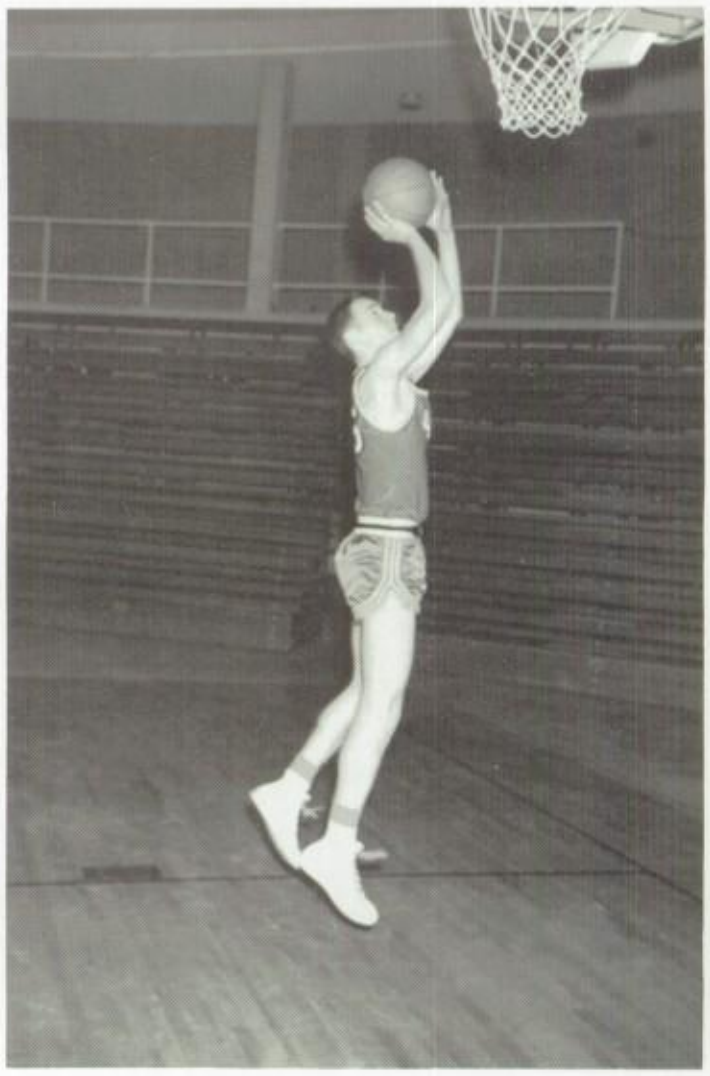
Again this year McPherson hosted a regional tournament in the Roundhouse. In the opening game McPherson scored an easy victory over the tough Wichita Heights team. In the semi-finals, the Newton Railroaders avenged an early season loss by defeating the Bullpups 71-61. In the finals McPherson defeated the Hutchinson Salt Hawks by a score of 45-35. The Bullpups secured third place in the tournament, and ended the basketball season with a 17-5 record.

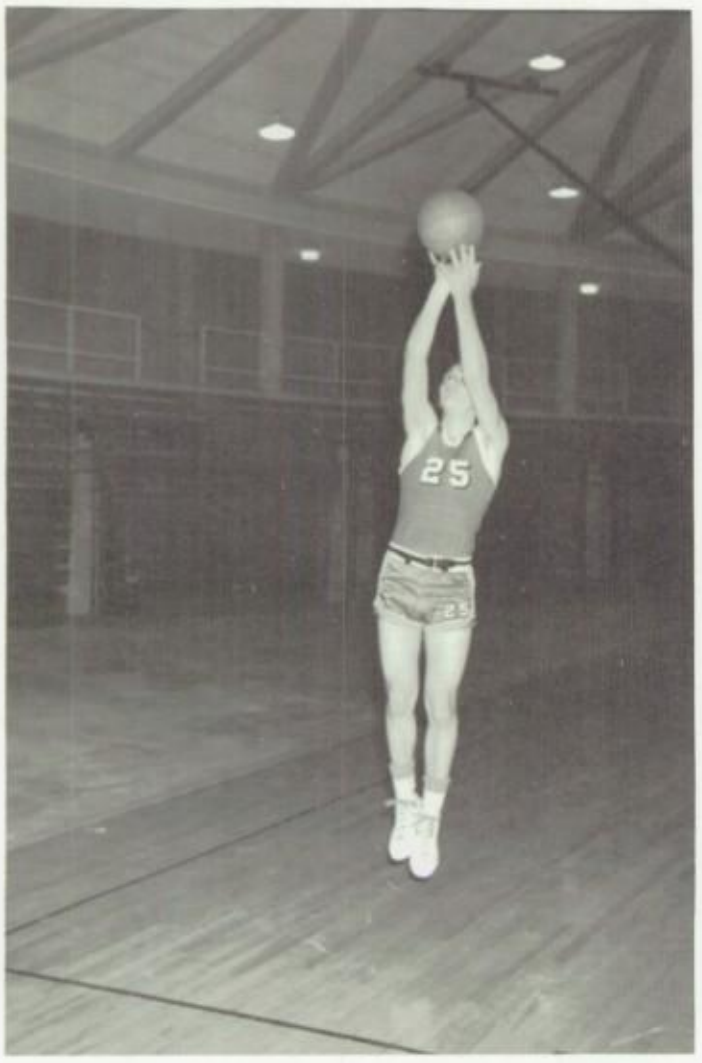
Larry Reiswig

Steve Palmer

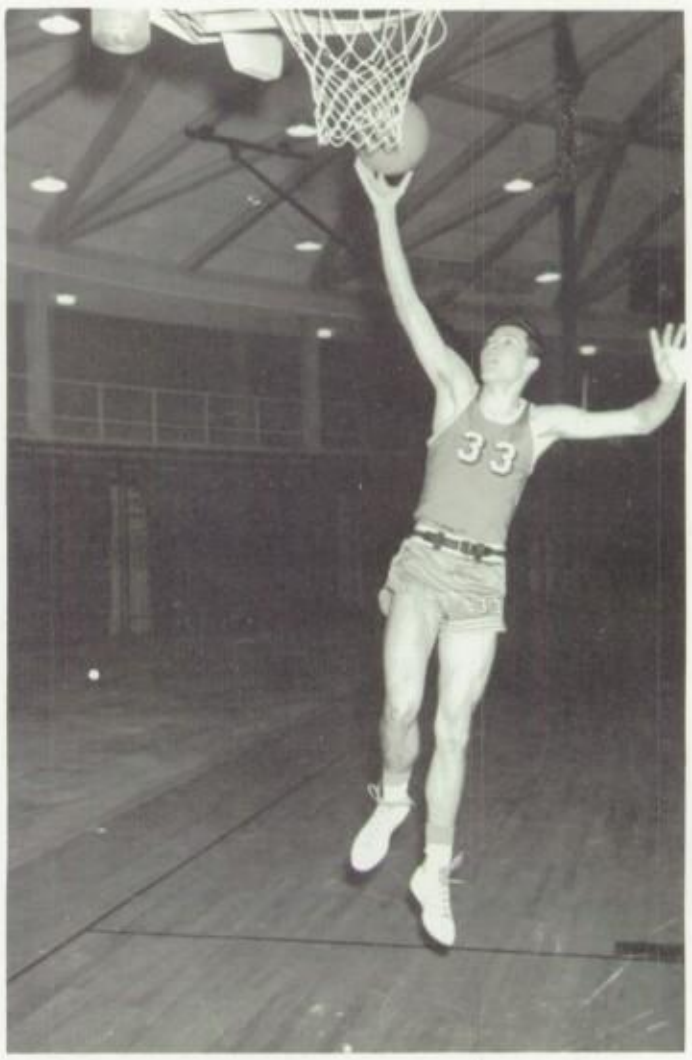


Jerry Martens

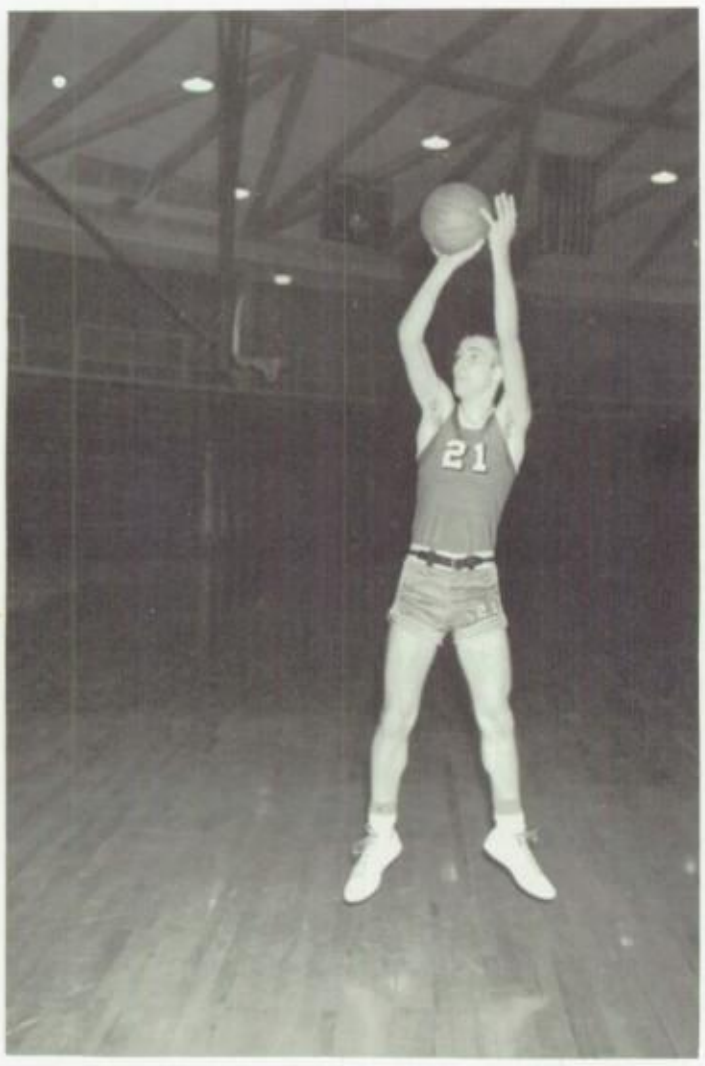




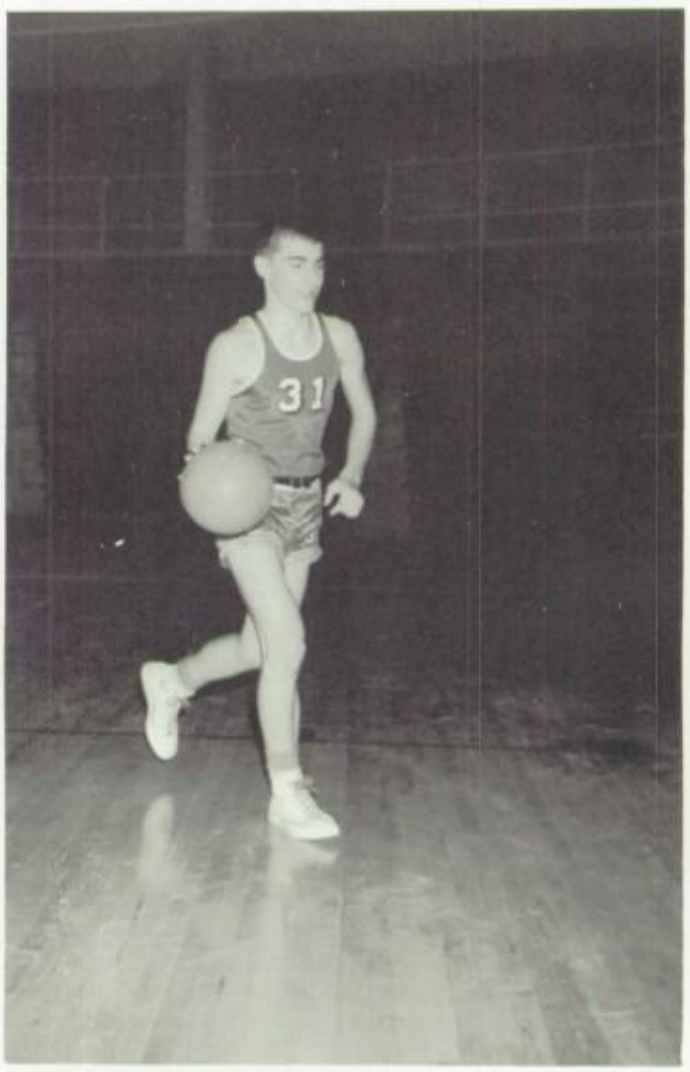
Ronnie Koehn



Dick Thompson

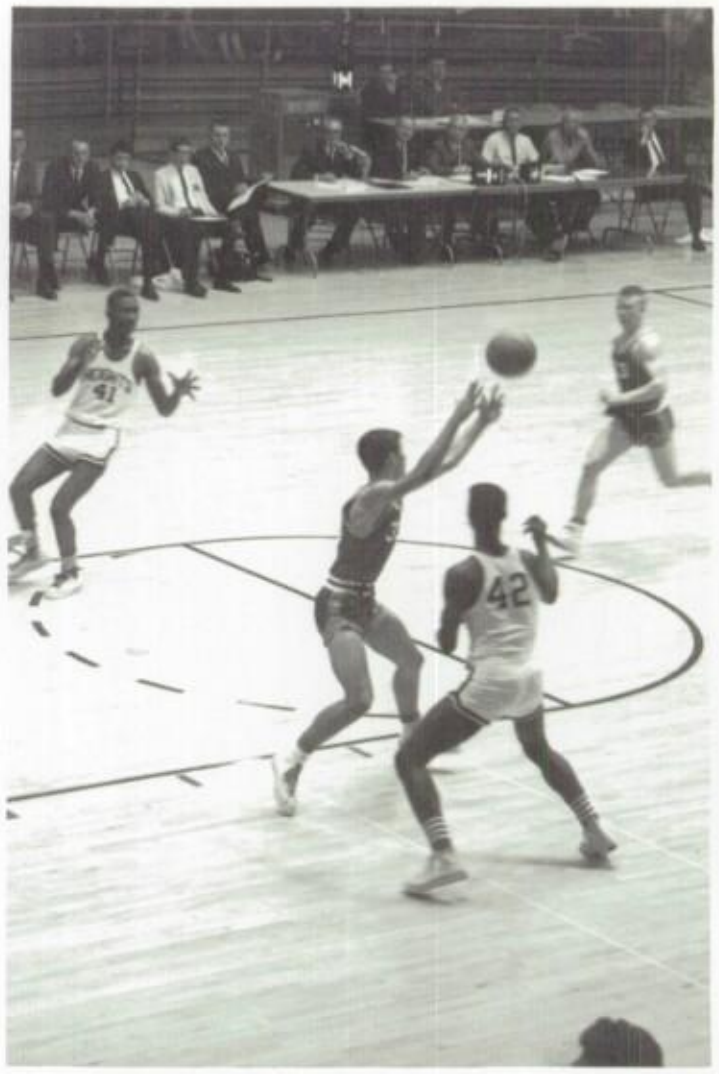


John Kennedy



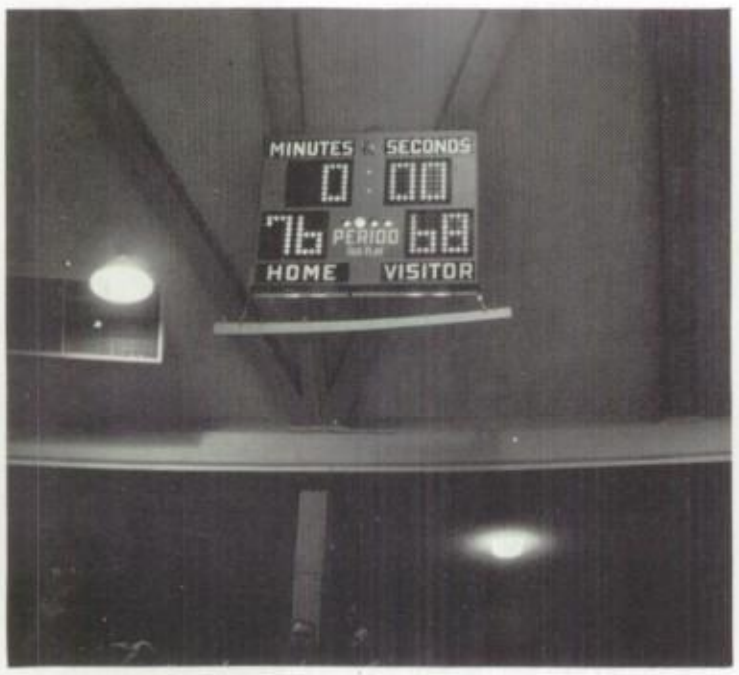
John Pyle

John Pyle gets an easy two points against Emporia.



Dick Thompson flips the ball over to Larry Reiswig as he crosses the time line during the regional opener.

McPherson won over Manhattan by a lead of only 8 points.

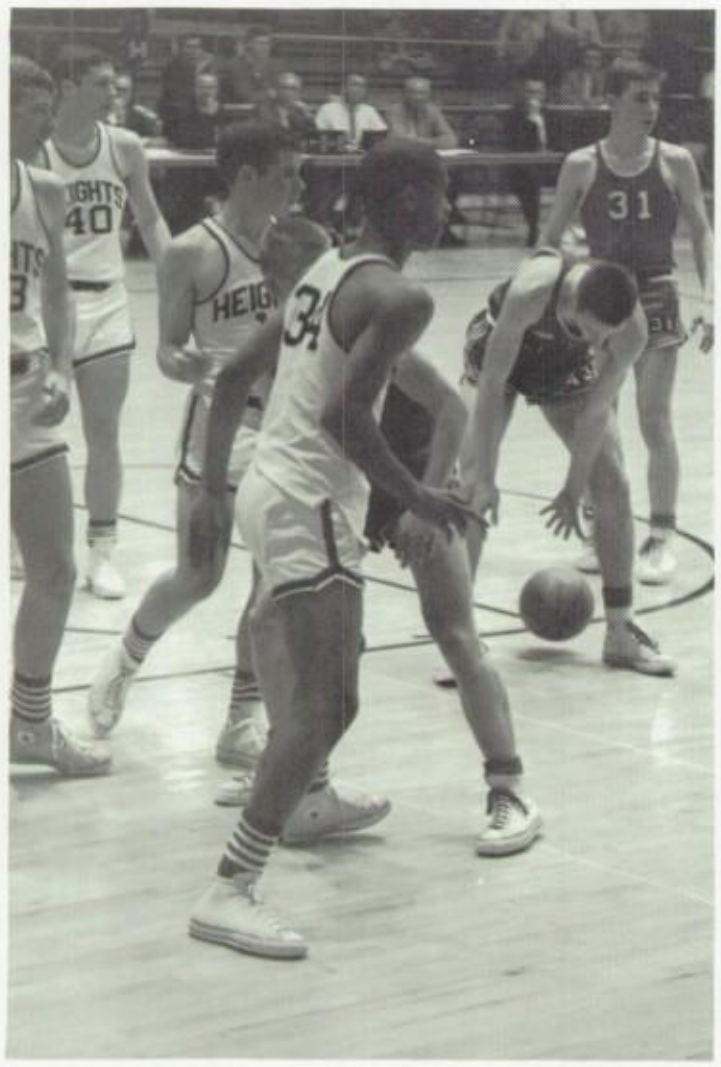


Steve Palmer lays it up as Salina's Sam Joy appears to go into fits.

Palmer and Martens race for the basket against Clay Center's 6' 6" Walt Sexton and 6' 5" Joe Newell.

"Now that I got it, what do I do with it?" asks Jerry Martens.

Well, Butterfingers, this is basketball, not soccer!



Fast and furious action develops under the goal during this Roundhouse game.

B-BASKETBALL

has good season;

strengthens A-team

Winning approximately seventy per cent of its own games, B-squad also sharpened the A-team for its league games. With such success, the B-squad men should turn into top A-men next season.

LEFT TO RIGHT: Craig Rausch, Bill Morrow, Paul Krehbiel, Roger Inloes, Dean Duske, Pat Jones, Bion Beebee, Dennis Houghton, Dennis Sorenson, Dale Leach, Wayne Rogers, Mark Heidebrecht, Bill Pyle. KNEELING: managers, Mike Christensen and Ernest Pease, Jr.

Coach Clinton Brown, assistant to Coach Frazier, was in charge of B-squad, and thanks to his strong team during practice sessions, assisted the A-team to go on to victories in CKL. "I'm proud of B-teams record of wins," smiles Coach Brown.

Head basketball coach, Jay Frazier, kept close eye on B-boys, with many helpful suggestions.

Managers Mike Christensen and Ernest Pease, Jr., made lighter work for the coaches.

TENNIS

has a successful year; plans for the future

This year's tennis team was a very pleasant surprise. The Bullpup netmen had the first outstanding season that McPherson had experienced in many years. Paced by senior lettermen Kenny Bechtel, Larry Reiswig, and Bob Hill, the Pups opened the season with a first place trophy at the Hutchinson Quadrangular. Falling to third place at the Salina Quadrangular, they quickly rebounded by sweeping the Hutchinson-B (8-1), Salina (5-4), and Emporia (7-2) duals.

Then the duel with the ever-powerful C.K.L. champs, Junction City Bluejays, ended in a disaster for the Bullpups, who were humiliated 9-0, (the worst showing all year.) At the annual C.K.L. meet, the Bullpups placed fourth behind Junction City, Manhattan, and Salina. The Pups finished only one point out of third place. Kenny Bechtel and Lane Bomberger played outstanding ball throughout the meet for the Pups.

In the regional tournament, McPherson was represented by Larry Reisweg, Kenny Bechtel, Lane Bomberger, Dana Sammer, Bob Hill, and Danny Vance.

Next year should also be a good one for the McPherson tennis squad, as two two-year lettermen and a bevy of underclassmen return.

Junior Lane Bomberger powers one over the net.

A-SQUAD-FRONT ROW: Larry Boughman, Danny Vance, Larry Reiswig. TOP ROW: Dana Sammer, Lane Bomberger, Kenny Bechtel.

Coach Dick Finton (ABOVE) singles out Larry Reiswig (BELOW, LEFT) and Kenny Bechtel (BELOW, RIGHT) to receive special praise for their fine performances on the court.

B-SQUAD-FRONT ROW: Bill Pyle, Howard Wiebe, Larry Boughman, Wayne Kerschner. TOP ROW: Larry Miller, Bion Beebe, Mike Milleson.

TRACK

gains stature at MHS; wins medals

Track men at MHS had one of their better seasons in 1966. With five sophomores lettering, it seems that next year's teams will be even stronger.

Highlight of the season came at the Newton Invitational, where MHS came in third out of nine competing schools.

Although last in the CKL meet, MHS had two third-place medalists: Dave Culver, who ran the 440 in 51.9; and Steve Opat, who ran the mile in 4:37.

In the district meet, Dave Rhoads scored in the high jump, Jack Vetter in shot put, and Steve Opat in the mile.

Also winners this season were Allen Brown, who tied the 220 record, and the medley relay men: Allen Brown, Paul Hamilton, Paul Krehbiel, Keith Peterson, and Mark Heidebrecht.

"I'm proud of these boys," says Coach Stevens. "Just give me a few more good men in all fields, and we'll take CKL!"

COACHES: Bill Stevens and Jack VanAmburg.

Two of the track runners exchange the baton.

BOTTOM ROW: Paul Hamilton, Bill Morrow, Mark Heidebrecht, Rodney Peer, Lemayne Dewild, Doug Chaney, Mike Stewart, Dennis Anderson, Dennis Wedel, Gary Spear. SECOND ROW: Kent Thompson, Gerald French, Mike Achilles, Monte Tipton, Paul Krehbiel, Steve Opat, John Mauk, Mike McGhee, Gary Allmon. TOP ROW: Ron Sloup, Keith Peterson, Dave Donham, Allen Brown, Jack Vetter, Dave Rhoads, John Suenram.

Would you believe that Dennis Wedel was once a ninety pound weakling?

SPRINT AND HURDLES DIVISION-BOTTOM ROW: John Mauk, Mark Heidebrecht, Rodney Peer, Mike Achilles, Doug Chaney, Paul Krehbiel. TOP ROW: Dave Culver, Dave Donham, Allen Brown, Paul Hamilton, Gary Spear.

DISTANCE RUNNERS DIVISION-Monte Tipton, Keith Peterson, Lamayne De-Wild, Ron Sloup, John Suenram, Mike McGhee, Gary Allmon, Bill Morrow, Steve Opat, Dennis Anderson.

Culver displays excellent form as he attempts the hurdles.

MANAGERS: Mike Christensen, Stanley Keck.

WEIGHT AND FIELD DIVISION-BOTTOM ROW: Kent Thompson, Bill Morrow, Gerald French, Monte Tipton. TOP ROW: Dave Culver, Jack Vetter, Dave Rhoads, Mike Stewart, Dennis Wedel.

GOLF

team gains experience; prepares for next year

This year's golf team gained valuable experience during the 1966 season. During its annual spring season the Bullpup team played at Manhattan, Junction City, and Salina. The Bullpups also held their own invitational tournament on the McPherson Country Club course, preparatory to the CKL meet. In the CKL tournament, McPherson finished fourth in the two-man division, seventh in the four-man team. League standing placed MHS sixth.

Steve Stockham, a four-year man, again led the MHS golfers with outstanding play throughout the season. Seniors Chuck Booz and Gene Olson were aided by an able group of underclassmen, including Mark Brandsted, Gary Gardner, Pat Jones, Dean Duske, and Gary Grant, who will be seeing much action next year.

Smile, Mr. Moore--there's always next year!

Steve Stockham exhibits the form that he used throughout his golf career.

BULLPUP GOLFERS--BOTTOM ROW: Mike Robidou, Gary Gardner, Gary Grant, Gene Olson, Chuck Booz. TOP ROW: Ernest Pease, Jr., Dean Duske, Steven Ledell, Pat Jones, David O'Dell, Steve Stockham, Mark Brandsted.

SPORTS SCOREBOARD

A-Team Football

	Opponents	McPherson
Newton	12	14
Salina	26	6
Junction City	22	20
Emporia	13	7
Chapman	14	0
Abilene	19	0
Clay Center	20	13
Manhattan	28	0

CKL LEAGUE STANDINGS

	W	L
Salina	6	0
Manhattan	5	1
Abilene	4	2
Clay Center	2	4
Junction City	2	4
Emporia	1	5
McPherson	0	6

B-Team Football

	Opponents	McPherson
Buhler	6	12
Salina	26	0
Newton	27	19
Hutchinson	0	7
Abilene	12	6

Cross Country

	MHS
Wamego Invitational	9th
Hutchinson Invitational	7th
Buhler Dual	1st
Salina Invitational	7th
McPherson Invitational	3rd
CKL	7th
McPherson Final	3rd

A-Team Basketball

	Opponents	McPherson
Russell	61	71
Abilene	53	73
Newton	45	59
Manhattan	68	56
Salina	62	63
Junction City	31	61
Chapman	58	84
Emporia	49	58
Wichita North	58	51
Salina	62	51
Washington of Bethel	45	68
Clay Center	72	82
Abilene	53	93
Manhattan	68	76
Salina	67	64
Junction City	44	66
Great Bend	82	57
Emporia	35	63
Clay Center	58	71
Wichita Heights	53	71
Newton	74	64
Hutchinson	35	45

CKL LEAGUE STANDINGS

	W	L
Manhattan	11	1
McPherson	10	2
Salina	8	4
Clay Center	5	7
Junction City	5	7
Abilene	2	10
Emporia	1	11

B-Team Basketball

	Opponents	McPherson
Russell	36	51
Abilene	40	42
Newton	40	49
Manhattan	53	48
Salina	49	74
Junction City	45	47
Chapman	62	50
Emporia	57	64
Clay Center	67	51
Abilene	65	66
Salina	70	60
Manhattan	58	68
Junction City	52	53
Great Bend	62	49
Emporia	67	74
Clay Center	43	63

Rejene Stowe

HEAD CHEERLEADER
Barbara Brazier

Marcia Sellberg

CHEERLEADERS

strive to promote interest;

lead with lively yells

The "A" and "B" cheerleading squads have strived to promote the interest and enthusiasm of the MHS student body. With their lively yells and energetic cheers they led the sportsmen to an active and successful season.

No, not bunnies, but pom pom girls!

LaNora Schmidt

Coonie Cooper

Judy Peltzman

One of the few moments of repose for the A-squad cheerleaders.

Two snaps of the B-squad cheerleaders going through various formations.
ABOVE, KNEELING: Janet Mills, Gayle Thompson, Pam Reinecker.
STANDING: Ginny Yingst.

A glimpse of the annual snake dance held before the first home game.

THE BULLPUP

captures year in pictures;

publishes modern yearbook

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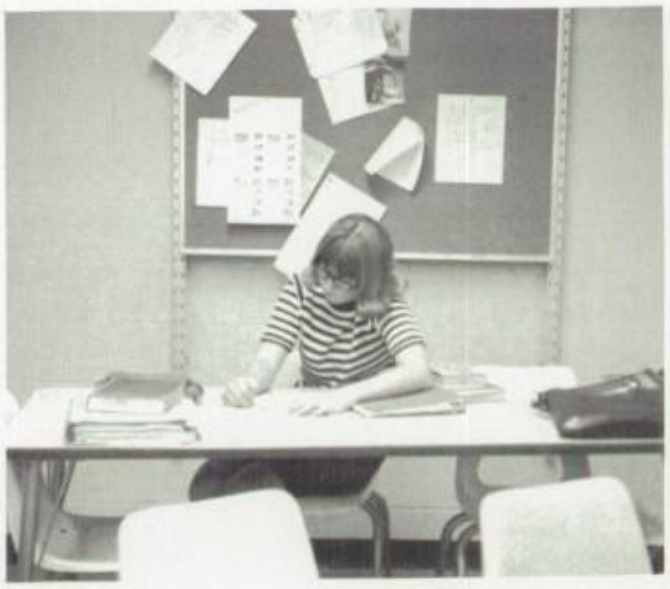
Making big decisions, one finds the yearbook editors, Sue Embers and Ken Stromquist, conferring with Pat McKenna on an organization snap.

Anyone who didn't know better would think these industrious-looking people were working, but they are just posing.

"I believe that this picture is a little under developed," Jim Hand tells Kerry Peel and Gene Anderson.



Will someone please come and help poor Dea?

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Phil Higdon is trying to get Steve Opat to agree with him about the sports page.

"Hey, Judy, how about skipping again?"

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Sharon,

Since we've worked together I've really got to know you real well. I really and truly have enjoyed it. We've gone through some hardships at good things, but if you think about it we've had some real good times, too. We've shared a lot & hope we continue. As long as we work together and even after that - let's always stay friends

Good luck always

Amy

Dear Sharon,
I haven't gotten
to know you until lately
(luck I guess). Always
be good, ha. Well, have fun
then. Lots of Luck
the Good kid
Mary McCall
"27's
Tops

Sharon,
Do bad you're not a big Senior like me! Ha!
I guess you'll just have to be satisfied as a
Junior. You're a nut and real nice. Watch for
boys like Judy and you'll be smart. Donna Bohannan
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